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Free 'wireless' coming to city

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Last night was the sold-out, $50-per-plate dinner featuring the keynote "State of the City" address given this year by Mayor Christopher Cabaldon.

Cabaldon, contacted by the News-Ledger yesterday while he was still working on that address, mentioned a couple of the themes he planned to talk about at this event. At least two of these are proposed new programs or initiatives:

■ One proposal was a plan, now in motion, for the city to provide free "wireless" internet connection along the West Capitol Avenue corridor in the city's eastern "business district."

"I've been pitching the idea, and so has the staff of the redevelopment agency," said Cabaldon. "Philadelphia was one of the leaders in this concept, although they haven't gotten their access up and running because they've been slowed by some lawsuits. And there is a wireless service at Raley Field that extends (access) down Capitol Mall on the Sacramento side. But they intend to offer a rich suite of services and content specific to their service. What we're talking about is simply the Internet."

From atop the civic center, West Sacramento will provide this "wireless" access for people nearby who have a laptop computer or "personal digital assistant," like a Palm Pilot, that is set up to access the Internet without wires.

"It will cover West Capitol Avenue in the downtown area and waterfront. It will be a free service, which is unusual. Usually, you pay $5 or $6 to access the Internet at a Starbucks or a state park. This will be great for local residents and businesses within the district – it will be attractive to people who want to visit or shop in West Sacramento."

Cabaldon said the project won't be expensive. He didn't know the exact cost, but said it will not come close to approaching $100,000.

■ Cabaldon also planned to further champion the idea of a "green" Port of Sacramento at last night's dinner address.

"The Port of Los Angeles has made a commitment that even as it doubles the amount of cargo it handles over the next ten years, there will be no net increase in air pollution emissions," said Cabaldon. "That's exactly the kind of commitment we need at the port here."

Cabaldon sits on the Port of Sacramento's governing board. He said port staff is now examining ways to retrofit "dirty diesel" engines on local tugboats and trains, and at options such as limiting the amount of time trucks are allowed to idle their engines while waiting to load or unload at the port. A "green" port will also feature protected habitat and public access.

City's newest centenarian

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



West Sacramento's Everette Patterson (foreground, seated) turns a hundred years old today. On Saturday, scores of family and friends gathered to wish him well.
Photo courtesy of Art Schroeder, City of West Sacramento

West Sacramento's Everett Patterson turns 100 today.

But it was on Saturday that about 75 people – many relatives, and a number of them from out of state – congregated in his city to help him celebrate. Unfortunately, Patterson was recovering from a slight cold, and he passed up on a planned ride in a city fire truck. But a little illness didn't stop him from enjoying the party.

"It was fabulous," said daughter Norma Jean Bloom of Livermore. "He had a blast. There were cousins of mine from St. Louis, from other parts of Missouri, from the Reno area, and from Placerville. He was not feeling really well, but he just kept patting people's hands and saying 'nice to see you.' "

Patterson is a former long-haul truck driver and construction company owner who later worked for the school district in West Sacramento, running its maintenance department. He was married to the late Mildred Lois Patterson, who died in 2000 at the age of 80. Mrs. Patterson had served as the accountant for her husband's company, worked as a manager in the state department of agriculture's finance department, and been heavily involved in the local PTA, chamber, church and scouting organizations.

Mr. Patterson, too, had been active in supporting the scouts.

"Many times he was the transportation for our girl scouts, taking all our equipment along when we went camping."

Mr. Patterson has lived in the city since 1917, when he was 12. The Pattersons started building their West Sacramento home in 1939 – although it later had to be rebuilt after a fire. They raised children Tom, Joyce (Vierra), Norma Jean (Bloom) and Nancy Jo Patterson in that home.

As products of local schools, the Patterson children were pleased to see former local principal Alma Soost and former superintendent Marino Pierucci at Saturday's birthday party.

After their retirement, the couple had a chance to travel to Hawaii and to Europe – enjoying the tracing of their family roots in Europe.

Mr. Patterson keeps busy, with a sharp game of cribbage and a ken for gardening.

Daughter Nancy Jo Patterson planned the party this weekend.

"Unfortunately, he was not at his best – but he did enjoy it, particularly seeing his nieces and nephews that he hadn't seen in many years," she reports.

City & firefighters reach labor deal

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

After nearly a year without a contract, the local firefighters union and the West Sacramento City Council may have a deal. The council is scheduled to look at a proposed contract at its meeting tonight, following which the terms will be open to public comment.

"We have reached an agreement with the firefighters," Assistant City Manager Carol Richardson reported yesterday. "Their contract is going to be retroactive to July 1, 2004, and goes to December 31, 2006. They're going to get a 15.75 percent (average) salary increase over that period. It will be broken out in about 2.5 percent increments over that period of time, ending with a six percent increase in July of '06. The firefighters' health benefits are going to increase a little bit, too."

Wally Enos, president of the firefighters' union, declined to comment on the deal until it receives final city approval.

Like the city's police union, the firefighters have been engaged in what looks from the outside to be a contentious set of negotiations. The police officers and city have not come to an agreement, but Richardson said there is some fresh hope.

"It's encouraging that we're back at the table (with the police union) and the parties are talking again," she said. Both the police officers and firefighters have been without a contract since June 30.

Meanwhile, there is at least one lawsuit on the books involving the police and their civic employer. A group of the department's K-9 officers have filed a case in the Eastern California district of the federal court system, alleging that they are not compensated fairly for their off-duty responsibilities with their police dogs.

"Since about 1988, we have paid our officers who have dogs $250 per month as additional compensation to pay for the time they spend off the job caring for, feeding and maintaining the animal. Separately we've paid for certain training, veterinary bills and support. The suit alleges that this is not enough to compensate for all the time they spend. Both parties have agreed to participate

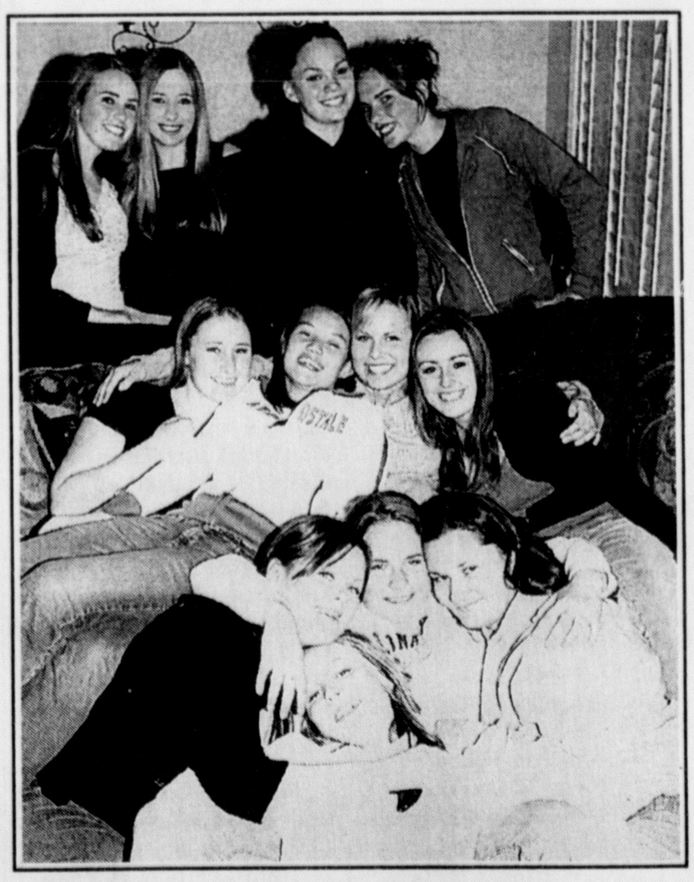
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West Sac soldier back from Iraq

By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor

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'My unit worked 12-hour shifts every day of the week and we hardly had time to go to a base movie, much less get too worried about things.'



COURTNEY YEARGIN reunites with old friends: Courtney's is the middle face in the row of three young women in the foreground.
Photo by Barry Blacklaw

Courtney Yeargin, a 2002 graduate of West Sacramento's River City High School, recently returned from a year's tour of duty with the U.S. Army's 1st Cavalry Division, which is based in Fort Hood, Texas. Courtney joined the Army in May of 2003 and was trained to be an electronic intelligence analyst.

"I saw joining the Army as a good opportunity to travel and to also get some valuable job training," explained Courtney, "and spending a whole year in Iraq was definitely a very interesting experience. I was stationed just outside the airport near Baghdad and I made a lot of new friends there. I also got to meet quite a few Iraqis and I especially enjoyed all the children who were always coming up to us."

Courtney's base in Iraq was often a target for enemy rocket attacks but her duties kept her so busy that she often didn't have time to worry too much about her own personal safety.

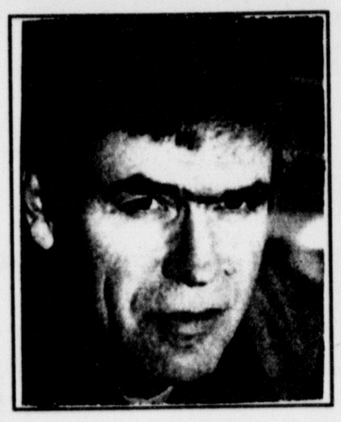
"At first I was a little nervous with all the explosions going on around us," said Courtney, "but after awhile you just get used to it. My unit worked 12-hour shifts every day of the week and we hardly had time to go to a base movie, much less get too worried about things. Although Iraq is a very dangerous place and you can't go anywhere without a gun, from time to time I would volunteer to go off the base and I was able to see a lot of Baghdad and the people who live there."

Courtney signed up for a four-year enlistment and isn't sure yet if her unit will be returned to Iraq in the not too distant future.

"My experience in Iraq was a good one," said Courtney. "I even got used to the 130-degree summer days they have over there. But believe me, it's really nice to be home, and to be able to spent time with my family and friends again."

The James Marshall High School Class of '65

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

Note: About a month ago I wrote a column entitled "Is it un-American to skip your high school reunion" and judging by all the grief I've been getting from some of my old classmates, apparently it is! Anyway, not wanting to upset any of my old West Sacramento friends just because I don't like attending high school reunions, I have decided to re-run the following column, which was penned more than a decade ago, in hopes of course that it will (as the saying goes) cover my butt.

My daughter is graduating from West Sacramento's River City High School (which used to be called James Marshall High School back when I was going there) in a few days. Now how in the world can that possibly be? It wasn't all that long ago that she was bald and trying without a whole lot of success to learn how to crawl. Yet in what seems like just the blink of an eye, she's somehow all grown-up and headed off to college.

"It just can't be!" I cried out.

"She's graduating alright," my wife assured me.

"I need proof."

"Well, she'll be bringing her senior yearbook home this afternoon," said my wife, "and the last I heard, you can't get one of those unless you're graduating."

Later that night, I decided to dust off my own Columbia blue and white senior yearbook and the boldly printed date on the cover (1965) immediately leaped out at me.

"Man, you're getting old," I whispered to myself as I opened the book and began slowly turning the pages.

Then something kinda wonderful began to happen. With each page I turned, I started to get younger and younger.

There was something genuinely comforting about thumbing through all the black and white photographs of special people and moments captured forever right before my eyes. I was also surprised at how many names I could still recall, and how easily each face tapped into what is left of my memory banks:

There was my twin sister, Cheryl, who was the homecoming queen that year, looking so pretty and proud.

And Mrs. Wells, who loved teaching English the way I loved playing baseball.

And John Domasky, my best friend, whom my parents loved like a son and who would have probably been adopted by them if only he hadn't eaten so much.

And Tony Novak, who helped me pass the hard classes, and who died way too young.

And Mr. White, who ran out of white shirts because bright and funny Bob Watts kept flicking blue ink from a special pen on the back of them.

And Jim Ross, who had the fancy car (and job at Club Pheasant) that I always wanted.

And seven-foot Doug Sim, who was as nice as he was tall.

And Mr. Maes, whom I drove crazy in both the classroom and on the basketball court.

And Jimmy Garcia, who taught me about pride and injustice and hard work.

And Susan Trice, who years ago somehow managed to find me in a hospital bed in Los Angeles and went miles out of her way just to visit.

And Jim Cameron, whom the teachers kept unsuccessfully trying to light a fire under and who ended up being arguably the most successful businessman West Sacramento has ever produced.

And Johnny DeAnda, who taught me how to box and then knocked me senseless.

And Ray Harrell, who I would want to kill one moment and hug the next.

And handsome Bruce Williams, whom all the girls loved, and who I can't believe will have been gone a full year at the end of this month.

And shy Ellen Hampshire, who is as sweet today as she was when we were kids.

And Billy Nichols, the kind of childhood friend you never fully appreciate until you get older and realize that good and decent people don't just grow on trees.

And Guyburt Pierce, who was determined to be a hood, and ended up a sweetheart.

And smart little Linda Queen, who would have probably dropped dead in her tracks if someone had told her back then that her daughter and my daughter would someday be best friends.

And Jim Johnson, who was smart and kind and could never seem to keep his glasses comfortably on his nose.

And Janet Andersen, who was so pretty and quick to smile.

And Mike Crumley, who was such a good athlete that my friends and I to live in fear of having to tackle him in a game of pickup football.

And Doug Felton, who used to play dice baseball by the hours with me when we would stay overnight at each other's house.

And John McDuffie, who could climb up to the top of anything.

And Larry Andreotti and Sandra Phillips, who married and still make West Sacramento their happy home.

And Steve Snyder, who could hit a baseball farther than anyone I ever saw.

And Harvey Scott, one of those quiet heroes who has played the unfair cards life has dealt him with class and dignity.

And Ron Morazzini, who shared my one youthful run-in with the law, and who was genuinely proud to have the worst penmanship in the entire senior class.

And Donna Smith, who was so shy and quiet around boys, and now is surrounded by a whole house full of them.

And Carol Reyner, who was in the backseat of my 1953 Chevy during the funniest double-date I have ever been on.

And Richie Yancey, who made me look good by digging out all my low throws to first base.

And Alice Castillo, with whom I went to all the important dances and who made them such fun.

And Sandy Brinkhuis, with those incredible blue eyes that made me want to go to dances in the first place.

"Hey, what are you doing in here all alone?" my daughter suddenly asked me as she entered my room.

"Oh, I'm just taking a little stroll down memory lane," I said.

"Going through your senior yearbook, huh?"

"Yeah."

"Can I look at it?"

"Sure," I said as I handed it to her.

"1965!" she exclaimed. "Boy, Dad, that was a long, long time ago."

"It was only yesterday," I assured her.

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Obituaries

Salud Negrete Madrigal

Longtime West Sacramento resident Salud Negrete Madrigal passed away at the age of 91 on March 28, 2005 of natural causes at a Sacramento rest home. She was the wife of 55 years to the late Vicente Madrigal and was preceded in death by her son, Benito Madrigal.

Salud is survived by sons, Benjamin J. Madrigal (wife, Lucia), John N. Madrigal (wife, Pam), Joaquin H. Madrigal, and Samuel C. Madrigal (wife, Barbara); her sister, Josie Drouin; and many beloved grandchildren and their children.

Born in Guanajuato, Mexico, she and her family lived in West Sacramento since the early 1940's, first on Harmon Road, and then on 15th Street. Besides being a mom and housewife, Salud found time to work in various jobs from agriculture to local canning companies. She was a 49er and Kings fan and enjoyed bingo at Cache Creek.

A rosary for Salud was held in Sacramento on March 31, 2005, at George L. Klumpp Chapel of Flowers. On April 1, 2005, a Mass of Christian Burial was offered at All Hallows Church in Sacramento. Burial followed at St. Mary's Cemetery.

Leora M. Andrews (Jones)

Leora Andrews was born on February 31, 1926, in Lake City, California to Preston and Frances Jones. She passed away on March 24, 2005. Her family moved to Alturas when Leora was three and her early years were spent with her grandparents, Ed and Mary Dorris. At the age of nine she moved with her family to Malin, Oregon, and in 1941 married Melvin O. Andrews, a veteran of WWII who served under General Patton. Leora and Melvin were blessed with two sons, Don and Allen, and moved to West Sacramento in 1949. Melvin graduated from Moler Barber College in 1956 and subsequently Leora graduated from Jeri's Beauty College. In 1963 the couple established The Beauty Nook in West Sacramento and successfully operated their business until retirement in 1975. Their sons both established their barber shops in West Sacramento.

Leora and Mel enjoyed a wonderful and active retirement, living on a houseboat and touring the Inland Passage to Alaska and traveling extensively in their RV. The couple settled in Fountain of Youth

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'The rest of the story'

Explaining Mello-Roos, Part I



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David Trussell

Almost everybody has heard of Mello-Roos, but with all the new development in the area, I thought it important to explain what exactly it is This is going to be three-part series on Mello Roos taxes. After doing a lot or research on the subject for this article I found that the fine people at the California Land Title Association describe it best.

Q. What is a Mello-Roos District?

A. It's an area where a special tax is imposed on those property owners within a Community Facilities District. This district has chosen to seek public financing through the sale of bonds for the purpose of financing public improvements such as streets, water, sewage and drainage, electricity, infrastructure, schools, parks and police protection. The tax you pay is used to pay for the bonds.

Q. Are the assessments included within the Proposition 13 tax limits?

A. No. The passage of Proposition 13 in 1978 restricted local government in its ability to finance public capital facilities and services by increasing property taxes. The "Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982" provided local government with a new financing tool. The Proposition 13 tax limits are on the value of the property, while Mello-Roos taxes are uniformly applied to all properties.

Q. What are my Mello-Roos taxes paying for?

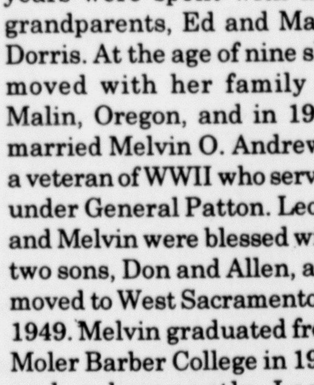
A. Your taxes may be paying for both services and facilities. The services may be financed only to the extent of new growth, and services include police protection, fire protection, ambulance and paramedic services, recreation program services, library services, the operation and maintenance of parks, parkways and open space, museums, cultural facilities, flood and storm protection, and services for the removal of any threatening hazardous substance.

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SPORTS

SPORTS INSIDER

By Rich Novoa

Okay, who's the big dummy that tested positive for steroids before the season's first pitch?

The winner is Alex Sanchez, the 5-foot-10, 180-pound infielder from the Tampa Bay Devil Rays. Congratulations! Mr. Sanchez is the winner of a 10-day suspension from his job. Sanchez will go down in baseball history as the first player to test positive for steroids. They shoot horses don't they?

And then there was one! The road to the final four ended with Sean May celebrating his 21st birthday. The junior forward drove his 6-foot-9 body through the Fighting Illini defense scoring 26 points and 10 rebounds. The two point favorites out lasted Illinois 75-70. The North Carolina victory was their 4th National Championship. The Tar Heels won in 1957, 1982, and 1993. I predicted Illinois would win but I threw up an air ball. The 2005 NCAA basketball title belongs to Roy Williams and his North Carolina Tar Heels.

Kings Korner

The Sacramento Kings (45-30) continue to stumble into the playoffs after losing their 11th home game of the season. All of sudden the friendly confines of the Arco Arena are not so friendly. The Kings have lost 11 games at home and still have 3 home games remaining. The boys in Silver, Purple and Black haven't lost 11 games at home since the 2000 season.

Lucky for the Kings the Rockets and Grizzlies are in a similar skid. The Kings are looking over their shoulders at the surging Denver Nuggets and the desperate Timberwolves. Denver is on fire winning 18 of their last 20 contests.

The Kings, who have seven games remaining, only need to win two more to qualify for the playoffs. The Kings have three home games against the Western Conference Sonics, Lakers, and the division leading Suns. The Kings will close out the regular season at home on April 20th against the Suns. The Kings four away games will take them to Portland, Los Angeles, Phoenix and Utah. If the season ended today the Kings would play the Dallas Mavericks in the best of seven.

The Kings injury update for playoffs is looking better every day. Brad Miller and Bobby Jackson are working out and could be available. Corliss Williamson is day to day as is Cuttino Mobley's with a hair fracture in his toe.

MLB Opening Day

The Oakland A's opened the season with a 4-0 loss in Baltimore. Barry Zito, the ace of the staff, took the loss giving up all 4 runs. The Giants will open the season with a 3 game series against the Dodgers starting on Tuesday, April 5th.

NFL News

The 49ers came out of their mini-camp last weekend with one goal in mind. To win the NFC West title! Yes, the Niners are being realistic about their chances to beat up the Rams, Seahawks and Cardinals. Coach Nolan has them rollin!

Enjoy your day, see ya next week!

RCHS tennis squad takes 2 of 3 spring matches

From River City High School

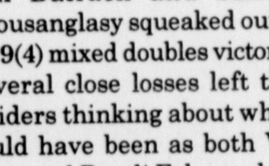
Although classes are out for two weeks, the River City High School tennis team stayed busy last week, dropping a 7 to 2 non-conference match against Mira Loma before regrouping to beat both Dixon and West Campus 8 to 1.

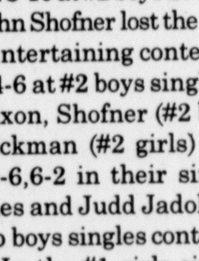
River City could manage just two wins against Mira Loma. Pa Yang and Anna Bouttavong took the #2 girls doubles match 10-6 and Jordan Balluch and Sandy Phousanglasy squeaked out a 10-9(4) mixed doubles victory. Several close losses left the Raiders thinking about what could have been as both Vu Tran and Randi Eckman lost their girls singles matches 4-6,3-6, Ou Saejao and Brandon Yip fell 8-10 at #2 boys doubles, and John Shofner lost the day's most entertaining contest, 4-6,7-6,4-6 at #2 boys singles.

In Dixon, Shofner (#2 boys) and Eckman (#2 girls) both won 6-6,6-2 in their singles matches and Judd Jadol took the top boys singles contest 6-4,6-3. In the #1 girls singles match, Vu Tran won 6-2,6-7(8),6-4, and in doubles play, Saejao and Yip, Koy Saetern and Andrea Kaine, and Balluch and Phouanglasy all won their matches.

The week concluded with a win at West Campus in Sacramento as Jadol and Shofner led the way with 6-0,6-0 wins in their singles matches. Saejao and Yip posted a 10-0 shutout in the #1 boys doubles position and Balluch teamed with Brian Koell for the first time this season, winning 10-2. On the girls side of the team, Tran won easily at #1 singles, 6-0,6-3, while Eckman's #2 girls singles opponent was forced to retire after suffering a knee injury. Bouttavong and Koy Saetern won 10-5 in the #1 girls doubles match and Phouanglasy paired with Lu Saetern for a 10-2 mixed doubles triumph.

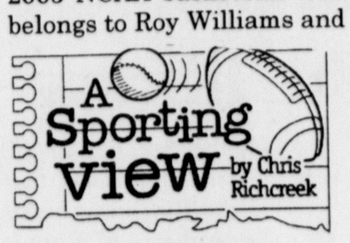
Spring break continues this week, but the Raiders will host Escalon today at 3:30 p.m. When classes resume next week, River City will travel to Rio Linda next Tuesday to take on the Knights.





1. Name the three major-league pitchers who tossed perfect games during the 1980s.
2. Four players have recorded six consecutive 20-homer, 20-steal seasons. Name them.
3. It took Indianapolis' Peyton Manning 78 games to reach the 20,000-yard passing mark. Name the only quarterback to need fewer games to do it.
4. Who is the all-time leading scorer in men's basketball at the University of North Carolina?
5. Patrick Roy holds the record for the most goaltending victories in the Stanley Cup playoffs with 151. Who is second?
6. How many times was Dick Weber named the Bowling Writers Association of America's Bowler of the Year?
7. Against whom was boxer Mike Tyson's first heavyweight title shot?

Please see answers P. 5



Transformations

As the NBA regular season moves toward a close, the campaign for the Most Valuable Player award is also traveling toward completion.

And "campaign" is the correct word choice, because from about midseason on, it seems that members of the media find a favorite horse and usually ride that choice to the finish.

Some will dismount long enough to argue what actually defines an MVP. Yet simply put, if you are a great player on a non-playoff team, your chance of winning the MVP award is pretty limited.

That means the usual suspects — Shaquille O'Neal, Tim Duncan — will get much consideration. But two others have taken different routes to become top contenders in the race.

Steve Nash has been the No. 1 choice in many corners for MVP honors, mainly because he has transformed a Phoenix Suns team into a title contender from a club that was 29-53 in 2003-04.

Signing as a free agent following six seasons in Dallas, Nash has averaged 16 points and 11 assists per game. More importantly, the Suns have increased their point-per-game average from 94 last season to 110 this one, while moving their point differential from minus three a game to plus seven.

The running game has helped lift Amare Stoudemire's performance to new levels. He's averaging 26 points a game, more than five points higher than the previous season.

In short, Nash has put up solid numbers and made his team much better.

So, too, has Tracy McGrady, which is probably a surprise in some corners. Last season, he averaged 28 points a game for Orlando, but was known more for being "Me-Mac" than "T-Mac." An interview in Sports Illustrated this season appeared to confirm that, as McGrady admitted to "slacking off" as the Magic lost more and more games last season, ending up 21-61.

McGrady was traded to Houston in the offseason and has found new life with the Rockets following a tough start.

Houston had only a 6-10 mark after November, and there were questions whether McGrady and center Yao Ming could jell together. Then the Rockets won 33 of their next 50 games. McGrady has posted strong numbers of 25 points and six assists per game, and Houston, 45-37 last season, seems to have moved up some on the contenders' roster.

McGrady has done much to improve his team and erase some of the stigma. But it still won't be enough when the MVP voting takes place. Nash has none of the baggage, and his team has made a huge jump. It will be a big surprise if the midseason favorite doesn't cross the MVP finish line first.



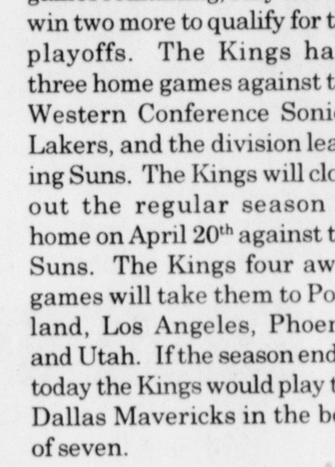
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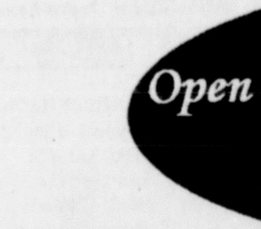
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Looking ahead in local government

The **West Sacramento City Council** will meet in public session tonight at 7 p.m.

Among the agenda items will be acceptance of a demolition bid for Fire Station 41, a resolution urging Congress to restore funding to the Community Development Block Grant Program and consideration of terms of a labor agreement between the city and its firefighters. The council will also consider authorizing a $1.5 million CDBG applicatoin for a mixed use housing project at 1725 West Capitol Avenue and view plans for the new 15th Street fire station.

The council has canceled its planned April 13 meeting, and will meet next on April 20.

The **West Sacramento Planning Commission** will meet Thursday evening at 6 p.m. at the civic center, 1110 West Capitol Avenue. Agenda items include a parking permit for South River Road and the baseball stadium, adjustments to the plan for the Ironworks project near the stadium, and a hearing on a permit for the Storybook Cottage Daycare Center on Higgins Road.

The **Washington Unified School District's Board of Trustees** will meet at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, April 11, at the district offices, to have a "dialogue" with the Wasnington Unified California School Employees Association labor group.

West Sacramento's **Economic Development Advisory Commission** will meet at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, April 12, at the civic center. Agenda items are not available at press time.



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"Wedding of the Waters: The Erie Canal and the Making of a Great Nation" by Peter L. Bernstein.

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"A Brother's Journey: Surviving a Childhood of Abuse" by Richard B. Pelzer.

"Maharanis: The Extraordinary Tale of Four Indian Queens and Their Journey from Purdah to Parliament" by Lucy Moore.

Call 375-6465 for information.

Local 'heroes'

Several West Sacramentans were among a small group of people honored by the "Heart of a Hero" awards this year, sponsored by the North Area Teen Center and California Family Fitness and the Florin Road Consolidated Charities-Florin Road Bingo.

Top recipient – the "hero of heroes" – was a man (Jason Irby) who had rescued a woman and her unborn child from a burning car. But Irby was joined by several locals.

Earning "Heart of a Leader" was West Sacramento's Stephen G. Ramirez Palmer, for his work with this city's youth.

Warren Smith, executive director of the River Cats baseball team in West Sacramento, earned a "Community Heart" honor for support of youth programs.

Norman Pollit, a police chaplain in West Sacramento, was awarded a "Healing of the Heart" honor.

John Wallace and Pastor Gary Clements of First Baptist Church in West Sacramento were presented "Spirit of the Heart" awards for spiritual outreach to youth.

River City High School's Amanda Valenti was honored as "Young at Heart" for serving her peers.

West Sacramento Police Lieutenant Dave Farmer received "Heart of a Servant" honors, for youth service and fundraising.

The North Area Teen Center coordinated the awards, which covered a four-county area.

Seven 'johns' busted

The West Sacramento Police Department reports the arrests of seven male suspects during an anti-prostitution "sting" operation on March 31 from noon to 8 p.m. In the sting, a female police "decoy" contacted males who appeared to be loitering and looking for a prostitute. The seven were arrested after they allegedly made deals for a sex act.

Four of the suspects gave Sacramento addresses. One each reported living in Folsom, Smartville or Citrus Heights. The suspects' ages ranged from 23 to 55 – with five of the men over age 50.

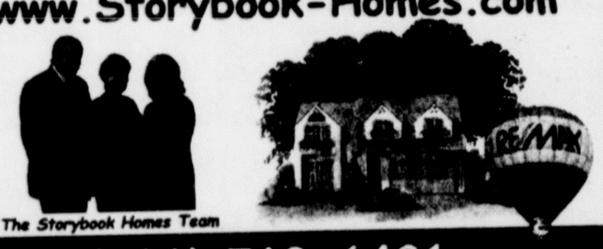
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Center for Spiritual Awareness 1020 W. Capitol Ave., 374-9177 Sun. services 8:30, 10 & 11 am Meditation room opens 30 minutes prior to services. Praise & worship 15 min. prior Junior church for all ages at 10 am & 11:45 am	**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints** 2667 Linden Road Bishop Ray Jackson, (916) 372-1113 Sunday Meeting Times: Sacrament Meeting, 9 a.m. PUBLIC WELCOME!	**Seventh Day Adventist Church** Frank Hightower, Elder 519-5329 2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac. PO Box 447, W. Sac. 95691 Sat. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. 372-6570
Trinity Presbyterian Church 1500 Park Blvd., W. Sac. Rev. Steve Whitney (916) 371-5875 Service: Sunday at 10 a.m. including children's programs.	**Holy Cross Catholic Church** 1321 Anna St. (near Todhunter) Rev. Chad Puthoff, SDS Sat. Vigil 5 p.m. (English) Sunday 9 (English) Noon & 7 p.m. (Spanish) Mon 8:30am, Tues-Wed 7am, Thurs. 6:45 (Spanish), Fri. 8:30 a.m. Call 371-1211	**First Southern Baptist Church** Rev. Gregory W. Kirk Sun. School 9:30 a.m. Sun. Worship 11am Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 2124 Michigan Blvd. 371-2111
SouthPort Community Church Pastor Bruce Maier Celebration Worship Sunday 10:30 a.m. KidLand during service. Youth & Small Group Ministry for All Ages. 2568 Industrial Blvd. 372-7818 www.southportcommunity.com	**WestSide Covenant Church** Worship Services at Collings Teen Center 1541 Merkley Ave. Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. www.westsidecov.org 371-3933	**New Discovery Christian Church** Meets at Southport Elementary School 2747 Linden Road at 10:30 a.m. Pastor Jerry Green (916) 600-3784
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Moments in time
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• On **April 12, 1861,** the Civil War begins when Confederate shore batteries under Gen. P.G.T. Beauregard open fire on Union-held Fort Sumter in South Carolina's Charleston Bay. Three days later, President Abraham Lincoln issued a proclamation calling for 75,000 volunteer soldiers to quell the Southern "insurrection."

• On **April 15, 1912,** at 2:20 a.m., the British ocean liner Titanic sinks into the North Atlantic Ocean after striking an iceberg just hours earlier. More than 1,500 of the 2,200 passengers and crew went down with the ship or froze to death in the icy waters.

• On **April 16, 1926,** the first Book-of-the-Month Club selection is distributed. The selection, "Lolly Willows" by Sylvia Townsend Warner, went to nearly 5,000 members who had joined the New York City club.

• On **April 11, 1951,** in perhaps the most famous civilian-military confrontation in U.S. history, President Harry Truman relieves Gen. Douglas MacArthur of command of U.S. forces in Korea. The firing of MacArthur set off a brief uproar among the American public, but Truman remained committed to keeping the conflict in Korea a "limited war."

• On **April 17, 1964,** on the first day of the New York World's Fair in Flushing, Queens, Ford introduces the Mustang, which would go on to become one of Ford's best-selling models of all time. The base price for the Mustang was just $2,368, but buyers purchased an average of $1,000 worth of options.

• On **April 14, 1986,** the United States launches air strikes against Libya in retaliation for the Libyan sponsorship of terrorism against American troops and citizens. More than 100 U.S. Air Force and Navy aircraft took part in the raid.

• On **April 13, 1997,** in Augusta, Ga., 21-year-old Tiger Woods wins the prestigious Masters Tournament by a record 12 strokes. Woods was encouraged from infancy by his father for a career in golf, and at age 2, he teed off against comedian Bob Hope on television's "Mike Douglas Show."

POLICE LOG

March 29, 10:40 p.m.

Officers went to a 5th Street apartment to find a parolee-at-large. A probation search turned up methamphetamine in the man's pocket. The suspect said the drugs were not his – someone had borrowed his pants the day before. He was arrested despite this explanation.

March 28, 11:53 p.m.

A 22-year old Sacramento man argued with a victim, then turned his vehicle around and intentionally struck the victim, leaving the person with abrasions and a possible fractured knee.

March 29, 6:15 a.m.

A Delaware Avenue woman reported that someone had smashed her vehicle's side window and then took property worth about $10.

March 29, 8:49 a.m.

At the 1200-block of West Capitol, an officer talked to a woman who said she heard voices, felt threatened by them, and occasionally lashed out at people when she heard them. The woman had assaulted a woman she didn't know, for no good reason. She was taken to Woodland Memorial Hospital.

March 29, 10 a.m.

A Toyota Camry was reported from Evergreen Circle.

March 29, 3:41 p.m.

Near 2nd and 3rd streets, an officer contacted two males with open containers. They were also found to have tablets of the drug 'Ecstasy' in their pockets, and were arrested.

March 29, 7 p.m.

Officers responded to a hangup 911 call. A 26-year old woman had pushed her husband over a chair during an argument, causing him to hit his head on a table. This happened in front of six children. The woman was arrested.

March 30, 4 p.m.

An officer contacted a 33-year old West Sacramento man was seen by an officer looking into a parked car near 4th and E streets. The man admitted having a weapon, a knife with a five inch blade, in his waistband. He was arrested.

March 31, 2 p.m.

A 55-year old Citrus Heights man was seen loitering near an undercover police prostitution decoy. The man was contacted and found to have a loaded handgun in his auto. He was arrested.

March 31, 2:30 p.m.

A 51-year old Sacramento man was arrested for soliciting an undercover officer for sex. He was booked. A cab company representative took custody of the cab he had been driving.

April 1, 7 a.m.

A 37-year old man punched his live-in girlfriend, causing a swollen eye. He was arrested.

April 2, 11:47 p.m.

Officers responded to a disturbance on Todhunter Avenue. A woman said her 53-year old boyfriend had pushed her down on a bed and threatened to killer her. He was on parole, and was arrested.

March 3, 1:47 p.m.

An officer contacted a 49-year old man on the 1400-block of West Capitol. The man was a conficeted child molester who had failed to register since February, and was arrested.

April 3

An officer stopped a 45-year old West Sacramento man who rode a bike through a red light at 5th and C streets. The man appeared to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol. He refused to perform a field sobriety test, and was booked.

April 3, 11:25 p.m.

An officer stopped a 23-year old Sacramento man who was driving on Halyard in a car that had been reported stolen. The man had an outstanding misdemeanor warrant, and was driving on a suspended license. He was booked. The report of the car as stolen turned out to be mistaken.

'Across the Bridge':

Events around the region

Pet adoption

Homeless animals will get a new leash on life at the Spring 2005 Super Adoption, sponsored by No More Homeless Pets. The one-day pet adoption event will be held April 16th from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Petco, 1878 Arden Way in Sacramento. Several varieties of dogs, cats, and rabbits will be available for adoption from participating shelter and rescue groups. For more information, go to www.nmhpsacto.org.

Genealogical association meets

The Genealogical Association of Sacramento will meet at 1 p.m. on April 20th at the Belle Cooledge Library, 5600 South Park Land Drive in Sacramento. The program "Searching for Your Soldier Ancestor" will be presented by Barbara Leak. Visitors and new members are welcome. For more information, call 682-8004.

Shrine Circus

The Shrine Circus will be under the Big Top from April 21-24 at Paradise Island Family Fun Center at Cal Expo in Sacramento. There will be aerial acts on the flying trapeze, acrobatic performances, and much more. For performance times and ticket information, call 766-2277.

Colonial Dames meet

The Priscilla Alden Chapter Colonial Dames XVII Century meeting will be held on April 21st at 11:30 a.m. at 7050 Del Webb Boulevard in Sun City, Roseville. The program will be "Trails and Tales, The Story of Nancy and Ben Kelsey's Journey to California, 1841." For more information call 783-8844.

AIDS plant sale

An annual spring plant sale benefiting local AIDS charities will be held on April 16-17 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 7700 Center Parkway (north of Mack Road) in Sacramento. There will be a huge selection of new and unusual perennials and other plants. For more information call 429-8315 or visit aidsplantsale.home.att.net.

SCC open house

Sacramento City College will hold a City Connections Open House on April 16th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to give community members and potential students an opportunity to meet faculty, staff, and students, and learn about programs of study and student service.

Campus tours and drawings for prizes will also be part of the festivities.

Participants may meet in the City Cafe on the SCC campus at 3835 Freeport Boulevard, right across from William Land Park in Sacramento. For more information call 558-2441.

D.A.R. meeting

The Sacramento Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet on April 11th at the Sacramento Garden and Arts Center, 3330 McKinley Boulevard in Sacramento. The business meeting will start at 11 a.m. followed by lunch at noon. The program will be presented by

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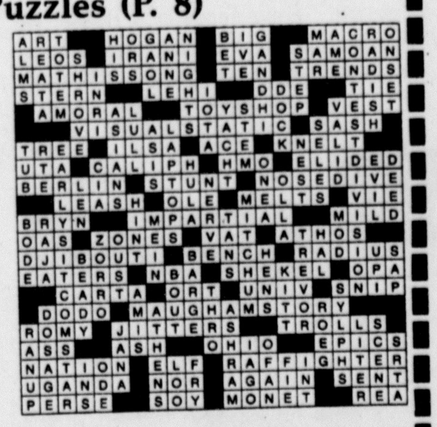
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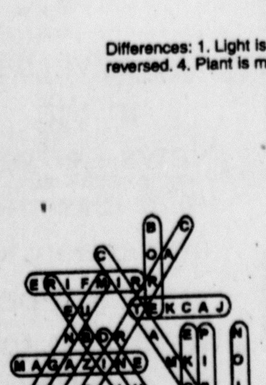
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Answers

1. Len Barker of Cleveland in 1981, Mike Witt of California in 1984 and Tom Browning of Cincinnati in 1988.
2. Bobby Abreu, Barry Bonds, Bobby Bonds and Willie Mays.
3. Miami's Dan Marino did it in 74 games.
4. Phil Ford with 2,290 points.
5. Grant Fuhr with 92 victories.
6. Three times — 1961, 1963 and 1965.
7. Trevor Berbick in 1986 — Tyson won in two rounds.



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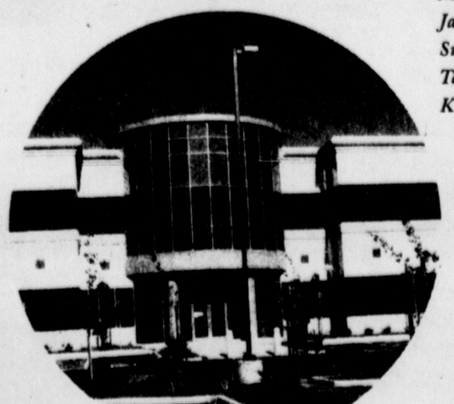
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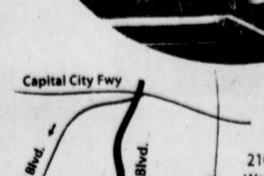
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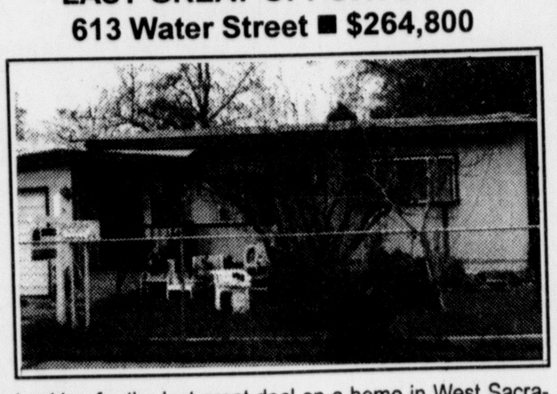
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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Missed chance, and a great opportunity

Is it due to a bigger market or a bigger heart?

The Columbia Journalism Review reports that after The San Francisco Chronicle told its readers that budget cuts had killed seven high school newspapers in Oakland, one outraged reader did something about it. The man, former publisher of a weekly newspaper, offered $40,000 to save the papers. That donation will now be parceled out to the schools, according to their programs' needs, to help keep the high school journalism programs afloat until they can ultimately become self-sufficient.

As far as the News-Ledger can tell, West Sacramentans absorbed the loss of their own high school's journalism and auto shop programs with nary a whimper. For the record, the News-Ledger remains ready to continue paying to print the high school's newspaper, and has heard rumors that the River City High School journalism program may return.

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A lot of neat opportunities cross the editor's desk. Some are almost too good to be true, like this one:

How would you like to know about a sports program for boys and girls age 10-16, offering instruction in five sports along with an introduction to college life at UC Davis? Would you like it better if the five-week program were free of charge? How about if the West Sacramento Parks Department offered your kid a free ride to and from the sports camp?

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Letters to the Editor

Never heard of Broderick Boys

I keep reading about a local gang called the "Broderick Boys". never heard of them, but I could be wrong.

It's kind of logical, thinking that having lived in West Sacramento for over 50 years, and having raised three children here, that all attended local schools, K thru 12, that sometime in the course of all those years, I would have heard myself, or from one of my children, something about the Broderick Boys. Not so.

My wife was at one time a Cub Scout den mother. I was at one time a Boy Scout scout master. Never heard a word of or about the Broderick Boys, or any local gang for that matter.

I have not heard or read of any gang related illegal activity, or arrests, but could be.

I am not saying the Broderick Boys are a figment of someone's imagination, but if, in fact, there is such a local gang, it appears to be way overblown.

WILLIAM E. WILLIAMS
West Sacramento

Appreciative of the Baranoff family

I would like to take a moment to express my deepest appreciation to the Baranoff family for the neighborliness and friendship they've shown me since I moved here in 1986. Without all of their kindness, both great and small, including their community involvement, but especially since my fiancee passed away, leaving me with her child, my life here would have been somehow smaller. You've all been great and I can't thank you enough.

Why, you may ask, do I take the time and trouble to put such thoughts in writing and express them publicly? Maybe it's because when my friend Rich Dugrenier died and I felt compelled to write something, I realized that we, as a society, seem to never find the time, the energy, nor take the trouble to actually put pencil to paper (as Charlie Brown might have said) and express ourselves while the subjects of our admiration are still amongst the living. We unintentionally wait until they're gone and then we bemoan the sad fact that we left so much unsaid. (Too often to simply assuage our guilty consciences, if nothing else.) Maybe, just maybe, a little less isolation, television, videos, internet distraction, et al, might lead to a little more comity and community amongst us.

J. BESHARIAN
West Sacramento

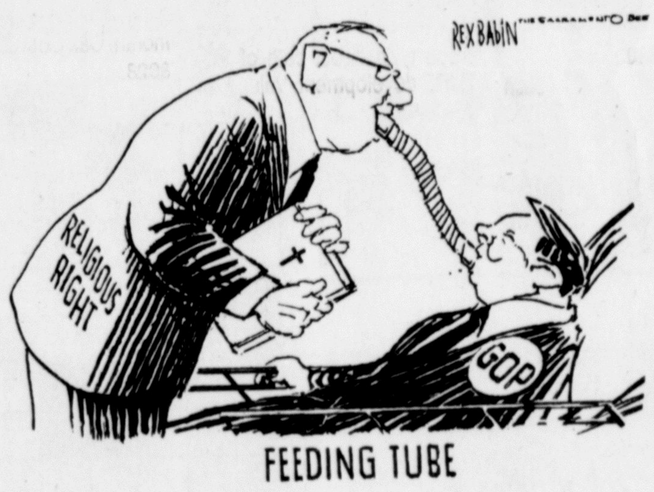
Spend grant money wisely

By the time this hits the paper, the Yolo County Department of Employment and Social Services will have held public forum meetings in Woodland and West Sacramento asking for public input as to how we could best allocate money from a community services block grant; e.g., shelter, food, youth/adult/family services, housing, or other services.

Since West Sac has less than a dozen transitional housing units with nearly 40% of the county's homeless population, this appears to be one of the wisest choices. Together with improved rides to and from our industrial park (jobs) and Southport areas, higher employment and less crime should result, saving money and allowing our police department to more effectively utilize their time for other services.

Whether these will be on the agenda for West Sac's April 6th city council meeting, we should nonetheless remind our leaders of the need to improve these and other services deemed important enough to be funded by a community services block grant, subject to the availability of funding.

WILLIAM A. LOWELL



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/s/Dwight Meddock
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The following person is doing business as Little House Glass Shop, 932 Farnham Ave., Woodland CA 95776 :

James H. Hanney, 932 Farnham, Woodland CA 95776.

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The following person is doing business as Messenger Consulting, 909 Snyder, Davis CA 95616; PO Box 73433, Davis CA 95617:

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/s/Brett P. Kersten

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Apr 4, 2005
File No. 2005-365

The following person is doing business as Restoration Specialties, 3314 Jefferson Blvd.:

John Alves, 2886 Leslie Ln, W. Sacto. CA 95691.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/4/05.

/sJohn Alves

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County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Apr 4, 2005
by: /s/Josie Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 16, 2005
File No. 2005-297

The following person is doing business as DSG Consultants, 3705 Galiano Island St., West Sacramento CA 95691:

Douglas Gibson, same address

This business is conducted by an Individual.

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/s/Douglas Gibson

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Date: Mar. 16, 2005
by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 14, 2005
File No. 2005-286

The following person is doing business as Cost-U-Less Insurance Center, 351 Court St., Woodland CA 95695:

Sacramento Auto Insurance Center, 2701 Citrus Rd., Rancho Cordova CA 95742.

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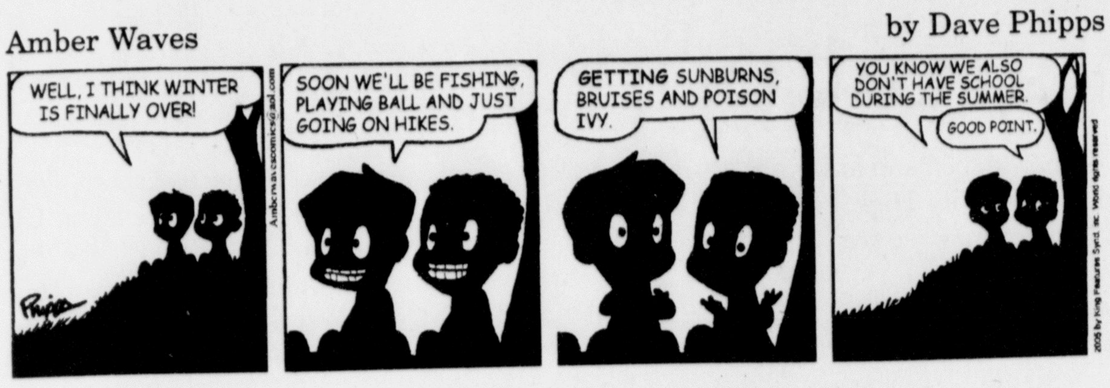
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PUZZLES & COMICS

Amber Waves

by Dave Phipps



R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



Out on a Limb

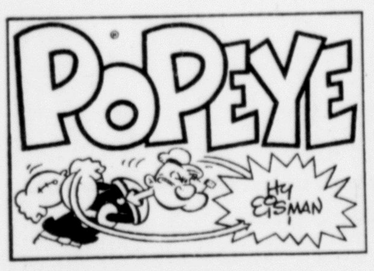
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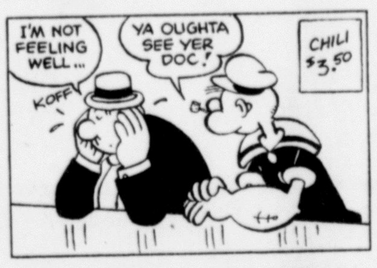


The Spats

by Jeff Pickering

















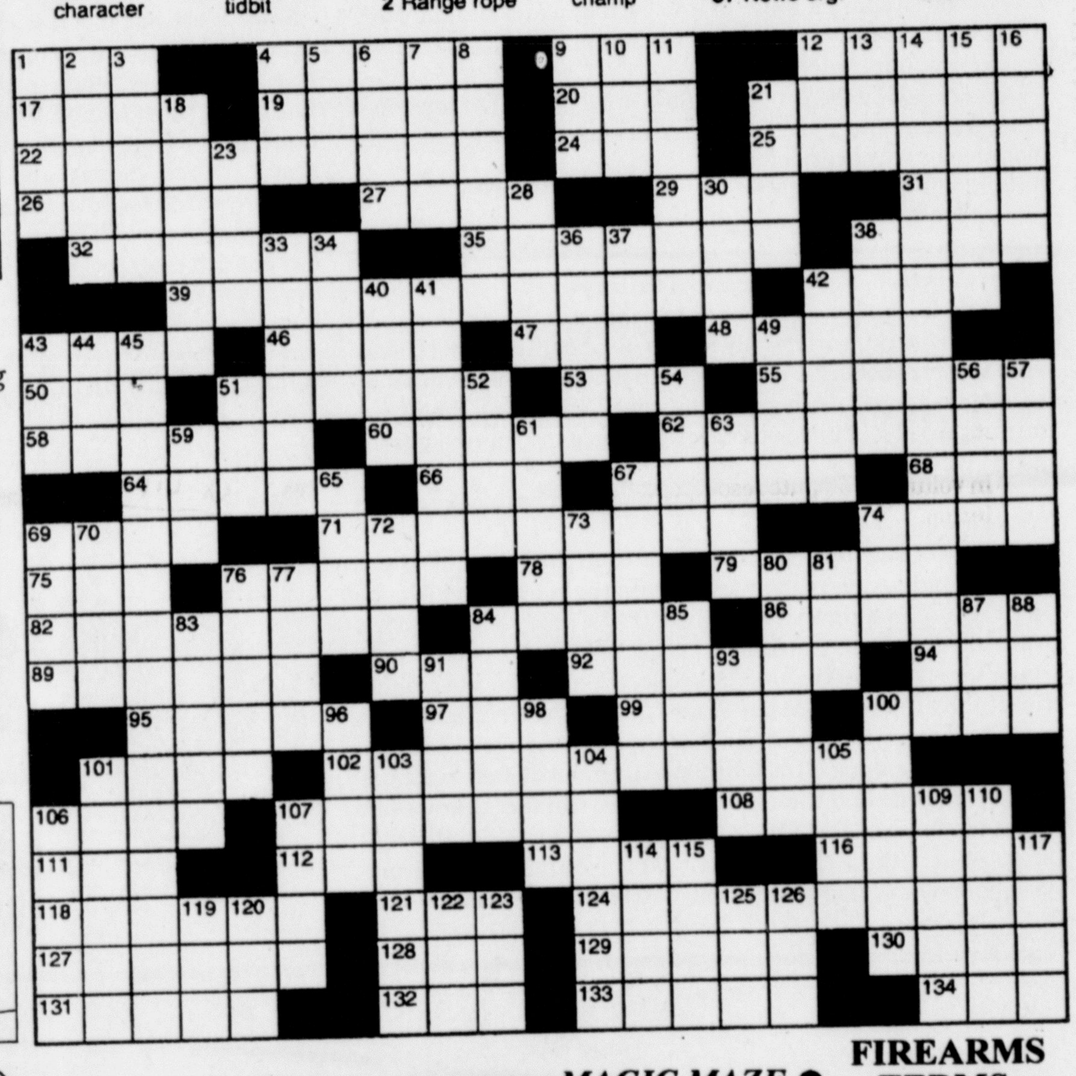




Super Crossword

ACROSS
1 Collectibles, collectively
4 "Crocodile Dundee" star
9 "The — Hurt" ('59 hit)
12 Word form for "large"
17 Composer Janacek
19 Persian, presently
20 Zsa Zsa's sister
21 Mead subject
22 MISTY
24 Perfect score
25 Statistical foci
26 Vessel part
27 Utah city
29 SHAEF commander
31 Fasten a brogue
32 Lacking principles
35 Kid heaven
38 Unisex garment
39 SNOW
42 Pageant prop
43 Word with farm or frog
46 "Casablanca" character
47 "Stroker —" ('83 film)
48 Prepared to propose
50 Actress Hagen
51 Muslim title
53 Medical grp.
55 Left out
58 "Cabaret" setting
60 Feat
62 Sudden decline
64 Rover's restraint
66 Barcelona bravo
67 Turns soft
68 Compete
69 — Mawr
71 FAIR
74 Like May
75 W. Hemisphere grp.
76 Torrid and Frigid
78 Napa Valley vessel
79 Porthos' pal
82 Neighbor of Ethiopia
84 Park feature
86 Half the diameter
89 Diner patrons
90 Shaq's pack
92 Israeli coin
94 — -Locka, FL
95 Magna —
97 Terrier's tidbit
99 Part of UCLA
100 Cut a cuticle
101 Extinct bird
102 RAIN
106 Actress Schneider
107 Heebie-jeebies
108 Folklore figures
111 Burro
112 Gray matter?
113 Annie Oakley's birthplace
116 Impressive tales
118 Big name in temperance
121 Sprite
124 HURRICANE
127 Kampala's country
128 Scand. country
129 Once more
130 Faxed
131 Intrinsically
132 — milk
133 "The Haystacks" artist
134 Stephen of "The Crying Game"

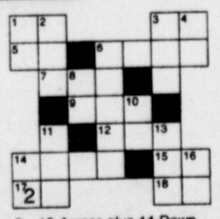
DOWN
1 Charity
2 Range rope
3 Symbol
4 — nibs
5 Hosp. areas
6 Sheffield slammer
7 Frank or Francis
8 "One of These —" ('75 hit)
9 Wager
10 "— had it!"
11 '82 Attenborough film
12 Damage
13 Soul, to Sartre
14 HEAT
15 Salad veggie
16 Attack
18 — Tuesday
21 Footfall
23 Calvary inscription
28 Bit
30 Hook up with Mir
33 Indians and Indonesians
34 Soothe
36 Marina sight
37 Watch part
38 Sound
40 Sale stipulation
41 Some computers
42 '92 US Open champ
43 Bathroom fixture
44 Hwy.
45 STORM
49 TV's "Empty —"
51 Security grp.
52 A shake in the grass?
54 Draft status
56 Malicious
57 Legal document
59 Actor Cariou
61 Novocaine target
63 — podrida
65 Suggestion
67 Robert of "Ryan's Daughter"
69 Augur
70 Punjabi prince
72 Chow —
73 Gets what one basks for
74 '60s chic
76 Bernardo's boss
77 Force out
80 Claire of "Key Largo"
81 "2001" computer
83 Like some eyes
84 Freighter
85 Coop crowd
87 News org.
88 Weaken
91 Match
93 Singer Eartha
96 "Lucky Jim" author
98 "Comin' — the Rye"
100 Successful dieters
101 Medical measure
103 Pericles' home
104 Guru's grounds
105 Director Nicolas
106 ". . . the mouse — the clock"
107 Novotna of tennis
109 Metric measure
110 Tantrum
114 Othello's ensign
115 In the twinkling — eye
117 Mlle., farther south
119 Officeholders
120 Lyric poem
122 London lavatory
123 Fish babies
125 "Pshaw!"
126 Bankbook abbr.



Rational Numbers

by Linda Thistle

Using the clues, simple arithmetic, and a little logic, place a single digit (0 to 9) in each empty box in the diagram. To help you get started, one digit has been entered in the diagram.



ACROSS
1. One-fifth of 16-Down
3. 5-Across plus 10-Down
5. 15-Across minus 17-Across
6. Two times 3-Down
7. Consecutive odd digits in descending order
9. 14-Across minus 6-Across
12. The last digit is the sum of the other digits
14. Five times 11-Down
15. Six less than 3-Across
17. Six less than 10-Down
18. 3-Across plus 1-Down

DOWN
1. The last digit is four times the first digit
2. 18-Across plus 14-Down
3. Digits of 2-Down reversed
4. One more than 1-Across
6. Consecutive digits rearranged
8. Four times 1-Down
10. The first digit is three times the last digit
11. Ten less than 12-Across
13. Eight times 3-Across
14. Eight more than 1-Down
16. One less than 8-Down

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X V T R E U Q O T E K C A J M
K I H F N B D R D A B E P Z N
Y (M A G A Z I N E) W M K I V O
T R A L Q D O L U N L O S K I
I M L E G U A G A O H H T F T
D C A E N I B R A C R C O U C
Z X W V U S R Q O N P I L C A

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Action, Automatic, Ball, Bore, Caliber, Carbine, Cartridge, Choke, Clip, Jacket, Magazine, Magnum, Pistol, Rimfire, Round

Please see answers page five





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BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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6	7	8	5	7	2	3	5	7	8	7	3	7
D	O	P	E	U	T	E	N	S	L	D	M	A
3	5	3	6	8	6	4	8	4	2	8	6	8
E	T	S	K	O	N	A	R	R	M	E	O	N
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in voluntary dispute resolution."

The officers' attorney, could not immediately be reached for comment on the case. An attempt to reach one of the named officers also was not successful.

The officers union has also filed a grievance about the city's use of certain "benchmark" cities as a starting point for setting local pay rates.

Comfort foods

Made fast and healthy

by JoAnna M. Lund

Refreshing Rhubarb

If you love rhubarb as much as I do, be sure to put this winner on the menu soon!

RHUBARB STRAWBERRY CRUMB DESSERT

- *16 (2 1/2-inch) graham cracker squares*
- *2 cups finely chopped fresh or frozen rhubarb*
- *3/4 cup water*
- *1 (4-serving) package sugar-free strawberry gelatin*
- *1 (4-serving) package sugar-free vanilla cook-and-serve pudding mix*
- *4 cups chopped fresh strawberries*
- *Sugar substitute to equal 2 tablespoons sugar, suitable for baking*
- *2 tablespoons chopped walnuts*

Preheat oven to 350 F. Spray a 9-by-9-inch cake pan with butter-flavored cooking spray. Evenly arrange 9 of the graham crackers in prepared pan.

In a large saucepan, combine rhubarb and 1/2 cup water. Cover and cook over medium heat for 6 to 8 minutes or until rhubarb softens, stirring occasionally. Remove from heat..

In a small bowl, combine dry gelatin and dry pudding mix. Add remaining 1/4 cup water. Mix well to combine, using a wire whisk. Blend pudding mixture into rhubarb mixture. Fold in strawberries. Evenly spoon mixture over "crust."

Crush remaining graham crackers into fine crumbs. In a medium bowl, combine cracker crumbs, sugar substitute and walnuts. Evenly sprinkle crumb mixture over top of fruit mixture. Lightly spray top with butter-flavored cooking spray. Bake for 30 minutes. Place pan on a wire rack and let set for 30 minutes. Refrigerate at least 2 hours. Makes 8 servings. Freezes well.

• Each serving equals: 114 calories, 2 g fat, 2 g protein, 22 g carb., 135 mg sodium, 3 g fiber; Diabetic Exchanges: 1 Starch, 1/2 Fruit.

THE CHOPPING BLOCK

by Philomena Corradeno



WINE AND CHEESE ARE HEAVENLY COMBO

We all know how well wine and cheese get along. It's a match made in culinary heaven. Served along with chunks of hearty bread or crackers and perhaps fruit, it's an easy way to entertain, end an evening of bridge or watch a big game on television.

Now the Fiscalini people in California, with a 300-year background of Swiss dairy tradition, have joined wine and cheese in a blissful marriage in their Purple Moon. This is a 6-month-old cheddar soaked for 24 to 48 hours in California Cabernet Sauvignon so that the delicate cheddar takes on a whole new character — a deep purple coating blanketing a creamy interior. While it's delectable eaten as is, its full glory is brought out with a little heat, as in a grilled sandwich or topping a baked dish.

Today we have a quesadilla created by the Diamondback Grill in Sonora, Calif., that in itself is a hunger pleaser, but may be served with a tossed green salad, guacamole or sour cream. In our second recipe, Grilled Portabella caps are topped with a slice of Purple Moon spread with pesto.

PURPLE MOON AND MUSHROOM QUESADILLA

- *2 pounds fresh, sliced mushrooms*
- *1 tablespoon minced garlic*
- *Salt and pepper, to taste*
- *4 large tortillas (traditional, sun-dried tomato or whole wheat)*
- *1 cup grated Fiscalini Purple Moon Cheddar Cheese*

In large skillet, sauté mushrooms with garlic until most of the water from mushrooms evaporates. Season with salt and pepper; keep warm. Warm tortillas on griddle or in a pan, being careful not to dry them out.

Divide mushroom mixture and cheese evenly between tortillas. Fold in half. Serve with salad of fresh greens. If desired, pass salsa, guacamole and sour cream. Serves 4.

GRILLED PORTABELLA WITH PURPLE MOON AND PESTO

- *Extra-virgin olive oil (for brushing)*
- *4 large Portabella caps*
- *4 thick slices of Fiscalini Purple Moon Cheddar Cheese*
- *Rosemary foccacia bread*
- *1/4 cup homemade or store-bought pesto*
- *Green leaf lettuce*
- *Sliced tomatoes*
- *Coarse salt and freshly ground pepper, to taste*

Brush Portabella caps with olive oil and grill or broil, cap side down, until well-browned and flesh is no longer firm. Turn mushrooms over; place cheese slice over each cap. When cheese begins to melt, remove Portabella caps and toast foccacia on grill until warm. Divide pesto between caps, spreading over cheese. Layer with lettuce and tomato on foccacia to serve.

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Now here's a tip!

by Jo Ann Derson

• "I used the mileage counter in my car to come up with several 2-mile routes for walking. Now, I can vary my walking routine and be assured that I have gone 2 miles per walk, which is my goal. I just drive from my house until I hit a mile on the trip odometer, and I walk to that spot and back." — I.L. in Nevada

• "Instead of buying costly freezer wraps for meats and chicken, I use the cereal bag that comes in a box of cereal. I pour the cereal into its own container, take out the bag and open the seams, wash it under cold water and let it drip dry. Then I store it in my freezer to use the next time I get meat for burgers or chicken for fajitas. ... I use the wrap just like rolled wax paper, and it's great because after I take it out of the freezer, it never sticks to the meat." — E.M. in Pennsylvania

• If you live in an income-tax-free state, be sure to check your deduction for sales tax. New laws allow you to write off sales tax on big-ticket items, such as a new car or boat. Check with your tax preparer.

• To get coffee stains off of your coffee carafe, fill it with hot water and dissolve 2 teaspoons of dishwasher detergent in the water. Let it set for 10 minutes, and use a sponge to wipe the stains away.

Strange BUT TRUE

By Samantha Weaver

• It's still not known who made this wise observation: "Every family has a choice of keeping up with the neighbors or the creditors."

• The longest novel in the English language, "A Dance to the Music of Time," was written by Anthony Powell. With a final count of more than a million words, the book was published in 12 volumes. The subject that required such a voluminous outpouring of effort (for both the reader and the author, I imagine) was a group of ordinary British men. From their early school days, through World War II and after, Powell chronicles 50 years of these men's lives.

• In a related note, have you ever heard of "graphospasm"? Anthony Powell probably suffered from it. It's the scientific word for ordinary writer's cramp.

• The first woman ever elected to the United States House of Representatives was Jeannette Rankin, a Republican from Montana. This may seem like just another dull factoid, but you need to take into account that she was elected in 1916. Women weren't allowed to vote until 1920.

• It's been estimated that it takes 10 to 15 minutes to sew a regulation Major League baseball.

• I think we can all be grateful that Ben and Jerry — the gentlemen of ice-cream fame — didn't follow through with their original business idea: running a bagel store.

• Those who study such things — whoever they may be — have discovered that, under certain laboratory conditions, a tick can live for up to 18 *years* without food. Imagine how much money you'd save if you didn't have to feed your kids until after they graduated from high school.

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Thought for the Day: "The two real political parties in America are the Winners and the Losers." — *Kurt Vonnegut Jr.*

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CRITIC'S CORNER

By D.N.A Smith

"The Ring Two"

Running time: 110 minutes
MPAA rating: PG-13

The 2002 release of "The Ring" (a remake of "Ringu," a 1998 film) began the wave of Japanese horror flick remakes we've seen in the past few years. The movie centered around a creepy videotape that dooms the viewer to a violent death seven days after its viewing.

"The Ring Two" begins with a couple of teens watching the video and their inevitable horrifying death — and then the movie shifts down to a crawl for more than an hour. Even worse, the original premise of the movie is totally abandoned. The videotape premise is trashed in favor of an "Exorcist" ripoff.

The film stars Naomi Watts, who reprises her role as Rachel, the single mom who did battle with the Evil Samara (the murderous ghost of a girl who was drowned in a well). In order to get away from the environment of the first film, she and her son Aidan (David Dorfman) have left the big city to settle in the sticks in Oregon. Sadly, Evil Samara follows them with the intention of inhabiting Aidan's body. Rachel must once again find a way to thwart Evil Samara's plans and save her son.

When I said this movie took an hour to get moving, I wasn't kidding. The only attempt at The Spooky in the first hour is an "attack" by a half-dozen CGI deer. Yes. Deer. Remember the horse scene from the first movie? That sent chills down my spine. Not so with "The Ring Two's" Bambi on Crank scene. All the deer do is scratch the paint on Rachel's car. This is horror? Only for the uninsured.

Everyone in this movie moves in slow motion. Nothing happens. Then



Naomi Watts

in the last half hour it looks like everyone remembered they were supposed to be making an entertaining movie, and some action actually occurs. Too little, too late.

The performances are so understated. Did the makers of Thorazine finance this stinkfest?

There isn't one scene in "The Ring Two" that makes it a movie worth leaving the house for. It's obvious that it only took one sequel for the creative well to run dry. This dud isn't even worth a rental.

GRADE: F

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Books

How Psychic Are You? 76 Techniques to Boost Your Innate Power
by Julie Soskin
(Penguin Books, $18)
Reviewed by David Smith

Am I psychic?

If you've ever asked yourself this question, then Julie Soskin's book may well give you the answer.

I asked myself the very same question, and after taking the tests provided in "How Psychic Are You?" I now know that I have all the psychic ability of a dead clam.

Which is why this is a difficult review to write. I mean, even though I'm not psychic, does that make this a bad book? I don't think so. Perhaps some of you out there will take the tests, perform the psychic exercises included in the book and discover you have powers you never knew you had.

Lavishly illustrated with color photos and illustrations, "How Psychic Are You?" not only helps you discover how psychic you are, but also what kind of psychic you are, from "empath" (one with the ability to feel others' feelings) all the way up to "shaman" (One who is vividly aware of nature, possesses healing abilities and a highly tuned sense of danger).

Soskin also shows you how to read tarot cards, tea leaves, the I Ching, use numerology and read palms.

So, are you psychic?

Here are a few questions from the book:

Can you "hear" someone's thoughts and verbalize them?

When you close your eyes, do you sometimes see eyes or human faces?

Have you instantly felt that a building was a happy or threatening place?

If you answered yes to any of them, you might want to consider picking up a copy.

Books reviewed in this column are available at your local bookstore.

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PAGE FROM THE PAST

June 17, 1921

[illegible] THE YOLO INDEPENDENT

LOCAL ITEMS

The Sacramento river registered 14 feet 6 inches, U. S. gauge at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday.

Four local pupils attending the Woodland High School have merited promotion in their various classes. They are: Ardella Manchester, Jeanette Buckingham, Neville Korrell and Fleming Peak. They have been attending regularly during the past year commuting on the Sacramento Northern between Washington and Woodland.

Miss Pearl Moser was one of the graduates in the Sacramento High School today. She has steadily attended the Sacramento school during the past three years and was rewarded with a diploma, having received honors at the final examination.

Mrs. C. Hart is in Fresno visiting with relatives and expects to remain for some time.

Archie Lewis and wife have gone to San Francisco to spend several days there and other sea-side resorts.

Howard Lee and wife, accompanied by several friends, expect to go to Placerville and perhaps farther up the mountains next Sunday in search of trout. Many friends are receiving promises of a mess when they return next Sunday.

PUTZMAN'S sells Spalding bathing suits. 1015 J Street.

Mrs. Homer Lee has returned from Bodega Bay where she went about ten days ago. She reports cool weather along the sea coast.

Last Sunday Howard Lee and family, accompanied by Jimmy Douglas and Emil Sydow of Bryte, went to Nicholas on a fishing trip. They brought home no fish but returned with twenty-one young rabbits which they bagged on the way, owing to the skill of Douglas with a rifle. On these outing trips Mrs. Lee permits her husband, Howard, to do all the cooking and the procuring of lunch. He is an adept at broiling steaks, but last Sunday he burned the grub white watching a rabbit making his getaway.

Gordon Tucker left here last Wednesday on a vacation of two weeks which he will spend at San Francisco and Santa Cruz.

Mrs. Minnie Enwright has entirely recovered from a severe spell of ptomaine poisoning which she suffered last Monday and Tuesday.

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Local fishermen are at a loss to account for the absence of fish from this section of the river, while salmon are plentiful farther north, near Vernon or at the mouth of the Feather river. At the latter point good catches have been made averaging 900 pounds, and most of the fish have been handled here by the Pankost Fish Co. Last Wednesday two tons of salmon were shipped out of here to Eastern points.

Soft drink parlors in Washington have been fearing another raid and got quite a scare last Wednesday evening when it was reported that Sheriff Monroe and District Attorney McDonald of Woodland had been seen in Sacramento. Lately Knights Landing has been the object of attack and the District attorney and the business men of Washington do not want a repetition of previous raids or anything similar to that which took place in Knights Landing.

R. C. Kyrcks, a boat builder who came to Washintgon a few months ago, has removed to Ingleside to live.

The last meeting preceding the summer vacation was held Wednesday night by the 18th Corps of boys of the Washington Community Church. During the evening, a surprise luncheon was served by the girls of the Sunbeam Class and games were enjoyed.

PUTZMAN'S sells bicycles. $1 a week plan. 1015 J Street.

Miss Palma Elliott of Virginia, who is visiting in East Sacramento, was a guest yesterday at the home of Mrs. A. A. Dassonville.

The dance of the Rocket Club planned for June 25th will be held in the auditorium of the school. Because of the nearness of the date to Independence Day, red, white and blue will be used in decoration. The dance is the last of a series during the season to start a fund for building a new floor for the dance hall.

Mrs Louis Simoni and daughter of Suisun, are guests at the home of the parents of Mrs. Simoni, Mr. and Mrs. A. Caffaro.

J. G. Soule is improving his property on Second street by the addition of a handsome fence and other improvements.

Thomas Snyder is seriously ill at his home on Harriett street. His relatives fear complications may set in.

A. G. Brietzke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Pagnello, C. W. Edwards and Mrs. Annie Edwards motored up the Sacramento River last Sunday for a fishing excursion.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jasper and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis came down from Wheatland for a few days' visit at the home of F. L. White, Jr.

Elon Flint and family, Mrs. B. Miss and Ed Moss went to Dixon Sunday to attend the American Legion barbecue.

Mrs. William Russell, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lenz, in Portland, Oregon, for the past month, has returned to her home in Washington.

Miss Leona Williams spent the week-end visiting relatives in East Sacramento.

"Playday" Was Picnic Day Yesterday for Parents and Children of Washington Public School

On the grounds surrounding the public school building yesterday children and parents picnicked as a novelty before the closing which took place today for the summer vacation.

On previous occasions the children went with their teachers to outside points, like McKinley Park, and did not enjoy themselves so well as they did yesterday on the school grounds at home.

A splendid program of entertainment had been arranged by the children and teachers, principally among which was folk dancing and other fancy dancing that had been taught the children by their teachers.

Among these may be mentioned the dances performed by the several grades from the first to the sixth.

Those deserving of special mention and who performed individually were: Rainbow Dance by Cleone Lynch; Dardanella by Alpha Porter; Listening Dance by Horlis Palm; Highland Fling by Margaret Dupzyk; Butterfly Dance by Ruth Rickard.

The prettiest feature of the picnic was the costumes with which the children and teachers, principal neat and appropriate of varying colors, which blended beautifully and at the same time were very inexpensive because being made of crepe paper.

The day was thoroughly enjoyed by the parents, children and teachers and wound up in a joke played by the trustees when a big rubber balloon was presented to each of the teachers.

Trustee Fred White distributed the prizes for the races and other games, all those prizes having been donated by Mrs. Colclough, Mrs. Parkinson, and the teachers.

Ice cream and cake were supplied in plenty by the parent-teacher association, and to say that the children enjoyed this is putting it mildly.

The same staff of teachers has been retained by the thustees for the coming year, with Principal A. L. Case at the head of the school. Mrs. Reynolds, janitor, has also been retained in her position. Those retained are A. L. Case, principal; Miss Veda White, Miss Julia McWilliams, Miss Hilda Watkins, Miss Eleanor King and Miss Mary Duff.

Winners of prizes for races held during the morning were as follows: Japanese girls' race, Natsuko Teramoto; Japanese boys' race, Gumili Sunhara; first grade boys' and girls' races, Doris McClure, Mamie Lozano; second grade girls' race, Bernice Fontana; second grade boys' race, Ettore Guastall; third and fourth grade boys' and girls' races, Launa Williams, Arden Lane; "rooster fight," Angelo Barsonti; fifth grade girls' race, Helen Marty; fifty-yard dash, Norman Reynolds; 100-yard dash, Clarence Moser; fifth and sixth grade boys' and girls' races, Helen Dassonville, Hosca Daproto; three-legged race, John Martin and Clarence Moser; free for all race, Clarence Moser.

UNION SCHOOL AND TOWN HALL PROPOSED FOR CLARKSBURG

Clarksburg, June 11.—At the meeting of the Clarksburg Farm Center this week the Union School plan was endorsed for the river section of Yolo County. With a union school at Clarksburg, it was claimed, the Marritt Island and Lisbon Districts, as well as the Holland District, which is being rapidly settled with new families, would have access to a good school which would be in a position to employ good enough teachers to adequately take care of all the children in this section of Yolo County.

In connection with Farm Bureau activities, the Clarksburg Center has voted in favor of a Community Hall, which will be built in connection with the union school. In this way the children will have advantage of the hall, and it would be used for all Farm Bureau and community functions.

In order to meet the expenses of the union school and community hall the school district would be bonded.

NEW PROHIBITION COMMISSIONER HAS BEEN NEWSPAPER MAN

Washington, June 10.—Formal announcement of the appointment of Roy Haynes, a Hillsboro, Ohio, editor, as national prohibition commissioner, was made today at the White House.

Haynes, who succeeds John F. Kramer, is expected to take office as soon as he can arrange his personal affairs. The appointment does not require Senate confirmation.

Before entering newspaper work, Haynes served as head master of the Miami Military Institute at Germantown, Ohio. He has been identified with church and temperance work and five years ago was a member of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Miss Nicolina Daproto has returned to her home in Washington from Weimar.

Mrs. T. E. Sanchez gave a dinner at her home last week in honor of the graduates of the Bryte School. The guests included the principal of the school, Miss Alyce Kingsbury, and the following graduates: Annie Schad, Alberta Conrad, Viola Hines, Dollie Childers, Susie Gomes and Inez Sanchez.

A dance will be given Saturday, June 18th, at the school by the Bryte Improvement Club. This will be the last dance of the series which the club has given during the season.

Howard H. Lee

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SPLENDID CROP OF BEETS PROMISED IN WEST SACRAMENTO

Not less than a thousand acres of beets for the manufacture of sugar were planted in West Sacramento this spring.

The favorable weather which prevailed for this crop and the sediment soil of the distr'ct nas proved a boon to the planters.

At the present writing all sugar beets are in fine condition with very few failures.

The Alameda Sugar Co. owns most of the crop and the land is being cultivated by Japanese mostly, although many Hindoos are leasing some tracts and hope to get big returns.

The drainage and irrigation canals of the district are being kept filled so that up to the present time there has been no necessity for surface irrigation. The soil is moist to within an inch or two of the surface.

Harvesting of barley has started all through the district. Heavy crops prevail with promise of returns in 40 to 60 sacks to the acre. Some few tracts will produce more than 60 sacks to the acre, and since the price has somewhat raised lately great returns are expected by the growers.

MITCHELL NAMED CALIFORNIA DRY LAW CHIEF

Washington, June 11.—E. F. Mitchell of San Francisco was appointed today as director of federal prohibition for the State of California. He succeeds S. F. Rutter, with headquarters in San Francisco.

Carl Jackson of Laramie, Wyo., was named prohibition director for Wyoming. He succeeds Lloyd C. Samson, with headquarters at Cheyenne.

Isn't it funniny that nearly every person you meet will say: "I hope Gardner gets away."

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$200,000 TO BE RAISED TO IMPROVE WEST SACRAMENTO HOLDINGS

For the completion of contemplated improvements a reorganization of the West Sacramento Company was proposed last Saturday in San Francisco when a meeting of the directors and bond holders was held.

At that meeting the proposed reorganization of the concern so as to provide $200,000 in cash for carrying out plans for greater industrial development in the suburban district was outlined. Money also is needed for other items, including taxes, reclamation assessments and general reorganization expenses.

The reorganization plan was presented by Philip I. Manson, San Francisco attorney. Associated with Chairman Manson on the committee are A. K. Tichenor and Sydney L. Schwartz. The plan calls for a new capitalization with $1,000,000 of non-accumulative, non-assessable, 7 per cent preferred stock and $1,500,000 of common stock.

As a protection for this preferred stock a fund will be created by setting aside one-half of the purchase price of all land sold. No dividends on the common stock are to be paid until the preferred stock is redeemed in full out of the proceeds of the fund, or any surplus may be used for such redemption, if the directors should so elect to do.

The directors also may invite offerings of the preferred stock at 105, or call it at 105. They also may purchase it in the open market.

It was stated by Manson at the meeting that about $700,000 of the 6 per cent bonds in the West Sacramento Company are outstanding. Present bondholders in the company are to receive ten shares of preferred stock in the new organization in exchange for each bond they now hold.

The $200,000 required to meet present underlying liens and other needs set forth above is to be met by the sale of preferred stock at par. This preferred stock is to be taken by the new common stockholder on the basis of 15 per cent of his stockholding. As there is $2,000,000 of the old stock now outstanding, and these holders will receive new common stock in the ratio of one share of new for two of old, this means that $1,000,000 of the new common will fall into their hands.

And since the new common stockholder is to subscribe to the preferred stock on the basis of 15 per cent of his holdings, the result is that present stockholders are called on to provide three-quarters of the $200,000 cash required, and bondholders the remaining one-fourth.

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Frank Samora, an art instructor at Sacramento City College who will speak on "The Vividness of Artistic Design." For more information call 488-4189.

Bugs are back at zoo

Insects are scheduled to fly, inch and hop their way around the Sacramento Zoo again beginning April 1st as part of the zoo's "Bug Zone". The temporary exhibit will be open through June 26th and will demonstrate how big a role little insects play in our lives. Various creepy-crawly insects and their multi-legged relatives will be on display.

The Sacramento Zoo is located near the corner of Land Park Drive and Sutterville Road in William Land Park. The zoo is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information call 264-5888.

Wildlife refuge open

On April 9th and 23rd, the Stone Lakes National Wildlife Refuge, located off the Elk Grove Boulevard exit on Interstate 5, will be featuring docent guided walks beginning at 9 a.m. Enjoy the wildlife viewing platform and go through grasslands that border seasonal wetlands. Birds of prey and seasonal migratory birds are often visible. For more information, call 775-4420.

Monthly car sell and swap

On the first Saturday of every month, the Towe Auto Museum holds their monthly car sell and swap. Car-for-sale space is $15. The museum is located at 2200 Front Street (just off Broadway) in Sacramento. For more information, call 442-6802.

SCC concert band performance

The Sacramento City College Community Concert Band will perform a varied program that includes Renaissance, Romantic, and March styles at 7 p.m. on April 19th in the SCC Auditorium. Admission is free. Call 558-2515.

YMCA childcare

The YMCA offers licensed childcare for children ages 3 months to 12 years of age. The programs operate five days a week. The cost varies depending on the age of your child. Call 452-9622 ext. 111 for more information.

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RV Park near the Salton Sea, where they lived until Melvin's death in 1990. Leora returned to West Sacramento and lived out her life near her family, including her daughter-in-law, Jean, three grandchildren, Michael, Mark and Christina Andrews, great-grandson, Jeremy, sister Fern Harper of Anderson, brother John Gamma of Montana, and numerous nieces and nephews.

George William Hughes

George Hughes was born in Illinois on April 5, 1926 and died in West Sacramento on March 26, 2005. He was a truck driver by trade and a 41 year resident of Yolo County. He is survived by his sons, Terry Hughes, Harry Hughes, and Mark Hughes, and by his daughters, Vicki Hughes, Alice Hughes, and Amanda Hughes.

NOTICE TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

A Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared for the Bridgeway Lakes North General Plan Amendment, Southport Framework Plan Amendment, Rezone and Vesting Tentative Map No. 4759 in West Sacramento. This Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared to address the potential environmental impacts of a tentative map that would subdivide a 20-acre site into 75 residential lots and a 6-acre permanent open space lot containing detention ponds. The site is located south of Marshall Road and west of Southport Parkway located at 3695 Marshall Road and 3500, 3510...3640 Bridgeway Lakes Drive in the RRA and RE Zone (APN 45-190-11 and 45-850-01 through 15). The Mitigated Negative Declaration concludes that with the implementation of recommended mitigation measures there will be no significant adverse impacts on the environment.

Copies of the Mitigated Negative Declaration are on file in the office of the West Sacramento Community Development Department at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 (telephone: 916/617-4645).

Any affected or interested parties may appear at the May 5, 2005, Planning Commission/ City Council meeting and comment on the Mitigated Negative Declaration and/or the proposed project.

The West Sacramento Planning Commission/City Council will consider adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration on May 5, 2005, in the City Council chambers located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA, 95691 at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING 2005/2006 PRELIMINARY PROGRAM OF PROJECTS AND AUTHORIZATION TO SUBMIT GRANT APPLICATIONS FOR THE YOLO COUNTY TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT

On Monday, April 21st, 2005, the Yolo County Transportation District Board of Directors will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of receiving public input on the Preliminary Program of Projects for FY 2005-2006, and authorization for grant application submittal to the Federal Transit Administration and CalTrans. The hearing will take place at 7:30 p.m. at the Yolo County Transportation District office at, 350 Industrial Way, Woodland, CA 95695.

For a Section 5307 (urban formula program) application, the Yolo County Transportation is seeking federal funds for the following projects, implementation year 2005-2006:

	Federal Share	Project Total
ADA Operating Assistance	$130,000	$829,000
Preventive Maintenance	$1,025,000	$1,281,250
Road Supervisor Vehicles	$60,000	$75,000
ADA Service Vehicles	$128,000	$160,000
Office Equipment	$92,000	$115,000
Bus Stop Improvements	$65,000	$81,250
Safety & Security System	$60,000	$75,000
EDO CNG Tank Replacements	$250,000	$282,390
Transit Planning	$65,000	$81,250

For a Section 5311 (rural formula) application, the Yolo County Transportation District is seeking $128,068 in federal funds for operating assistance to benefit the rural jurisdictions (Woodland, Winters and unincorporated Yolo County).

Those wishing to provide input at the hearing are encouraged to attend. Barring any comments in opposition to this proposed Program of Projects, this will be the Final Program of Projects for 2005-2006, after adoption by the Yolo County Transportation District Board of Directors.

Those who cannot attend the public hearing can write to the Yolo County Transportation District with their suggestions and comments. The mailing address is: Yolo County Transportation District, 350 Industrial Way, Woodland, CA 95776. Phone calls to the District at (530) 661-0816 can also be placed.

NOTICE TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

A Negative Declaration has been prepared for the Metro PCS Wireless communication facility to be located at 1811 Enterprise Boulevard in West Sacramento. This Negative Declaration has been prepared to address the potential environmental impacts of a proposed collocation telecommunications facility consisting of an 85-foot monopole with four antenna arrays and corresponding equipment cabinets at 1811 Enterprise Boulevard in West Sacramento. The Negative Declaration concludes that there will be no significant adverse impacts on the environment.

Copies of the Negative Declaration are on file in the office of the West Sacramento Community Development Department at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 (telephone: 916/617-4645).

Any affected or interested parties may appear at the May 5, 2005 Planning Commission/ City Council meeting and comment on the Negative Declaration and/or the proposed project.

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider adoption of the Negative Declaration on May 5, 2005, in the City Council chambers located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA, 95691 at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE #1

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on April 20, 2005 at 7:30 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held in the council chambers at the Civic Center, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 617-4500. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City hall is handicapped accessible.

1. Resolution 05-25 confirming the diagram and assessment for the Storm Drain Maintenance District No. 1 (Raley's Landing).

2. Resolution 05-26 confirming the diagram and assessment and ordering improvements (maintenance) to be made for the Landscaping and Lighting District No. 1.

3. Consider intention to detach land (The Rivers) from the Landscaping & Lighting District No. 1.

4. To consider renaming a portion of Riverpoint Circle to Ikea Way in the Riverpoint Marketplace Project.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE AND THE INTENTION TO TRANSFER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE (UCC 6101 et seq. and B & P 24073 et seq.) Notice is hereby given that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic beverage license is about to be made. The names and addresses of the Seller/Licensee are: Mark D. Granite and Ann Marie Lola Granite (Mark) 3207 Treasure Island Road, W. Sacramento, Ca 95691; (Ann Marie) 1585 Gateway Drive, W. Sacramento, Ca 95692 The business is known as: Grand Central Station The names and addresses of the Buyer/Transferee are: Hung Suk Bank and Eun Ja Bank 20720 4th Street, #1, Saratoga, Ca. 95070 As listed by the Seller/Licensee, all other business names and addresses used by the Seller/Licensee within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the Buyer/Transferee are: (If "none", so state.) None The assets to be sold are described in general as: furniture, fixtures, equipment, goodwill, covenant not to complete and liquor license and are located at: 1250 Harbor Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691 The kind of license to be transferred is: On-Sale Beer and Wine Eating Place now issued for the premises located at: 1250 Harbor Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691 The anticipated date of the sale/transfer is April 25, 2005 at the office of Chicago Title Company, 105 Lake Forest Way, Suite A-1, Folsom, CA 95630. The amount of the purchase price or consideration in connection with the transfer of the license and business, including the estimated inventory, is the sum of $190,000.00, which consists of the following: EXHIBIT "A" Goodwill $85,000.00, Fixtures & Equipment 20,000.00, Covenant Not to Compete 85,000.00 Total $190,000.00 It has been agreed between the Seller/Licensee and the intended Buyer/Transferee, as required by Sec. 24073 of the Business and Professions Code, that the consideration for the transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control. Dated: March 24, 2005 Mark D. Granite Hung Suk Bank Ann Marie Lola Granite Eun Ja Bank ASAP641277 4/6

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE
(UCC Sec. 6105)
Escrow No. 8601A

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale is about to be made. The name(s), business address(es) of the seller(s), are: JOSEPH K. CHAN, 1029 Jefferson Blvd., Suite A, West Sacramento, CA 95691.
Doing Business as: JEFFERSON PHARMACY (Type-PHARMACY)
All other business name(s) and address(es) used by the seller(s) within the past three years, as stated by the seller(s), is/are: NONE.
The name(s) and address of the buyer(s) is/are: BEATLE TRAN, Post Office Box 581532, Elk Grove, CA 95758.
The assets being sold are generally described as: ALL STOCK IN TRADE, FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND GOODWILL.
And are located at: 1029 Jefferson Blvd., Suite A, West Sacramento, CA 95691.
The bulk sale is intended to be consummated at the office of: Capitol City Escrow, Inc., 3838 Watt Avenue, Suite F-610, Sacramento, CA 95821 and the anticipated sale date is April 22, 2005.
The bulk sale is subject to California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2
The name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is: Capitol City Escrow, Inc., 3838 Watt Avenue, Suite F-610, Sacramento, CA 95821 and the last date for filing claims by any creditor shall be April 21, 2005, which is the business day before the sale date specified above.
Dated: March 9, 2005
Buyer(s)
BEATLE TRAN
04/06/2005
CNS-800727#
NEWS-LEDGER

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 906975 Loan No. 0074509845 Title Order No. 4273494 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 04/22/2003. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 04/26/2005 at 12:00 PM, CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded 04/29/2003, Book , Page , Instrument 2003-0024016-00 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California, executed by: REENA LAL AND BABU LAL, WIFE AND HUSBAND AS JOINT TENANTS, as Trustor, LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY, as Beneficiary, will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Sale will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to the Deed of Trust. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Place of Sale: THE REAR (NORTH) ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL BUILDING 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE WEST SACRAMENTO, CA Legal Description: – Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $124,828.02 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: 1920 BIRMINGHAM AVENUE WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 APN Number: 045-042-19-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". DATE: 03/31/2005 CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY , as Trustee, 9301 Corbin Avenue, Mail Stop: N 03 02 04, Northridge, CA 91324, (916) 387-7728 or (714) 573-1965 DEBORAH BRIGNAC, VICE PRESIDENT CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. ASAP640999 4/6, 4/13, 4/20

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No. 1073014-02 APN: 010-521-05-1 TRA: None LOAN NO: 2005779547 REF: **Oyama, Michael IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED November 08, 1999. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.** On April 26, 2005, at 09:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded November 30, 1999, as Inst. No. 1999-0036141-00 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, executed by Michael Oyama, An Unmarried Man, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state: At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building 1110 West Capitol Avenue West Sacramento, California, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: Completely described in said deed of trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 628 Cummins Way West Sacramento CA 95605. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust to wit: $83,953.23 with interest thereon from September 01, 2004 at 8.500% per annum as provided in said note(s) plus cost and any advances with interest. ESTIMATED TOTAL DEBT: $90,681.85. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. For sales information: Mon-Fri 9:00am to 4:00pm (619) 590-1221. Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004 Dated: April 04, 2005 Trustee Sale Officer: Shannon K Mottola. (R-117412 04/06/05 04/13/05 04/20/05)

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 21, 2005
File No. 2005-307

The following person is doing business as Edward & Sons Painting, 424 Todhunter Ave., West Sacramento CA 95605:

Edward Skachkov, 424 Todhunter Ave., W. Sacramento CA 95605.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/21/05

/s/Edward Skachkov

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Mar. 21, 2005
by: /s/Elizabeth Montoya, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 11, 2005
File No. 2005-275

The following person is doing business as Style Your Child, 706 Main St., Woodland CA:

Kristin N. Parker, 850 Fordham Drive, Woodland CA 95695.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1980. Previous fictitious business name number 3/1//05.

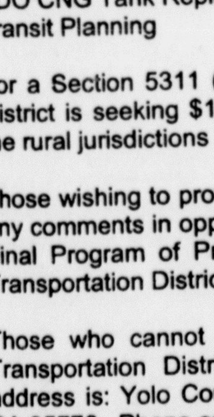
/s/Kristin N. Parker

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Casino trip

The Italian Catholic Federation Branch 282 is sponsoring a bus trip to the Cal Neva Casino in Reno on April 25. Cost is $24, with a casino rebate of $10. The bus departs at 10 a.m. from the River Cities Funeral Chapel parking lot, returning at 9:30 p.m. Call 371-4871 for information and reservations.

Gang awareness

West Sacramento Police Department gang officer Joe Villanueva will host a "community gang awareness" seminar, open to the public, at River City High School. The program will be presented in English on Thursday, April 14; in Spanish on Thursday, April 21; and in Russian on Thursday, April 28. All programs from 6-8 p.m. in the cafeteria. Students, parents and community members welcome.

Chocolate!

Kids: join the Arthur F. Turner Branch library at 4 p.m. on Thursday, April 7, and learn all about chocolate. Learn how chocolate was developed, how it came to America, and do some taste-testing. Also games, handouts and a skit. For more information, call 375-6465. Sponsored by the West Sacramento Friends of the Library.

Cheerleading

The River City High School Cheerleading Squad is planning tryouts. A meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on April 12 in the school cafeteria. Tryout clinic will be April 18-21 from 6-8 p.m. at the school gym, tryouts will be at 6 p.m. on April 22 at the gym, and you may call Leslie Pruitt, 417-4722, for more information.

Jazz

'Jazz Night Out' on Saturday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m. will feature the 'Syncopating Sea Monkeys' of River City High School and the Jazz Hounds of Golden State Middle School. There will be dancing, a silent auction and refreshments. Profits benefit the high school jazz band. The event will take place at the Colling West Sacramento Teen Center, and tickets are $15. Call 375-7800 ext. 340.

For gourmets

The "Friends of Meals on Wheels" plan their annual "Epicurean Esprit" on Thursday, May 19, in Davis. The fundraiser benefits the "Meals on Wheels" program, which provides meals to shut-ins in Yolo County. There will be cuisine and wine from talented local chefs and winemakers. Tickets in advance only, $40. For more information, call (530) 662-7035.

Scholarship

The Cache Creek Conservancy will offer a $1,000 scholarship to a graduating senior who will pursue an education in an environmental or natural resource science field at a college or university this fall. The deadline to apply has been extended to April 15. Call (530) 661-1070.

Ride, vets, ride

American Legion Post 440 in eastern Yolo County is starting up an "American Legion Riders" group. The veterans organization invites vets to participate in parades, promote motorcycle safety, and share an interest in veterans affairs while also sharing the road on a motorcycle. First meeting is scheduled for Sat., March 26, at 905 Drever Street from 9 a.m. to noon. Annual dues will be $10, and an optional, full "ALR" patch set is $50. For more information, contact Post 440 Commander Stu Greenfeld, 372-4417.

Fun run

The Cache Creek conservancy announces the April 23 "Earth Day Celebration 10K Run and 5K Run/Walk." Entry forms are available at Yolo County locations including the county planning and public works department in Woodland. For more information, call (530) 661-1070.

Tax assistance

Low-income wage earners can get free help in filing tax returns from the Yolo County Department of Employment and Social Services and several other organizations. West Sacramento residents may contact the department at 500 Jefferson Blvd.., Suite 110, (916) 375-6201, or contact Las Casitas Housing, 685 Lighthouse Dr. No. 16B, 375-1678.

Youth sports

The National Youth Sports program is accepting registration for free sports programs for boys and girls age 10-16. Sports include swimming, basketball, tennis, soccer, fencing, along with an introduction to college life in this program that emphasizes sports and education. The West Sacramento Parks & Recreation Department will provide transportation to and from the program at UC Davis. Limited to 50 participants, the program runs 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. June 27 to Aug. 1. Pick up an application at the parks department, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, or call 617-4620.

PG&E for business

Pacific Gas & Electric is offering a course on air-handling systems from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, April 19, in West Sacramento. No charge. The course covers a variety of systems and introduces typical components, variable air volume systems, and energy efficiency. Continental breakfast with 8:30 a.m. sign-in, plus a lunch. Visit www.pge.com/stocktonclasses or call (800) 244-9912.

Marshall High

A reunion for the James Marshall High School's classes of 1968-1974 is planned for Saturday, July 16, from 5 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the West Sacramento veterans hall, 905 Drever Street. The casual evening will feature fun, food and music. $25 per person; advance tickets suggested. Call Tommy King, 372-5569 or email tckinglive@sbcglobal.net. Tell a classmate.

WUSD retirees

Retirees from the Washington Unified School District will hold their annual potluck on April 10 at the VFW Hall in West Sacramento, with a 2 p.m. social hour and 3 p.m. luncheon. For more information, call 372-0961.

Golden Years

The Golden Years Club of West Sacramento will hold a catered dinner at the Veterans Hall, 905 Drever St., on Tuesday, April 19 at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are $5 for members, $10 for guests. Make checks payable to Golden Years Club and mail to Betty Drumheller, 1050 W. Capitol Ave., #158, West Sacramento CA 95691. The club serves those 50 and over. For more membership information, call 371-8479 or 371-8126.

Gourmet fundraiser

'Spring Break 2005,' a food-and-wine festival benefiting free health clinics serving the four-county Sacramento region, will be held from 6-10 p.m. on Saturday, April 30, at the Special Events Pavilion on the UCD Medical Center campus. CommuniCare Health Centers, which serves West Sacramento and other areas, will be among the beneficiaries. For more information, call (530) 757-4121.

Republicans

The Yolo County Republican Central Committee will set up tables from noon to 4 p.m. on Friday, April 8, in front of West Sacramento's Nugget Market to gather signatures to qualify three initiatives for the ballot. One initiative promotes redistricting reform, a second changes teacher tenure requirements and the third addresses public employee retirement benefits. To volunteer for the initiatives, call Larry Allen, 371-1053.

Music scholarship

The Swift Fund for the Arts announces its 2005 Music Scholarship program, open to Yolo County residents who attend the Sacramento Youth Symphony Summer Chamber Music Workshop in Davis. For more workshop information, visit sacys.org or call 731-5777. For scholarship information, contact scholarships@swiftfund.org or call (530) 219-6057.

Chicano/Latino youth

West Sacramento city council member Carolyn Castillo Pierson announces the annual Chicano Latino Youth Summer Leadership Conference is open to 140 current 10th and 11th grade high school students, and includes legislative day at the state capital, campaign development workshops, a college day and Chicano Latino culture and history. Apply by April 15. Applications are available at www.clylp.com. For more information, call Pierson at 617-4709.

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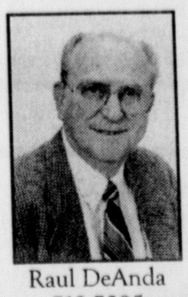
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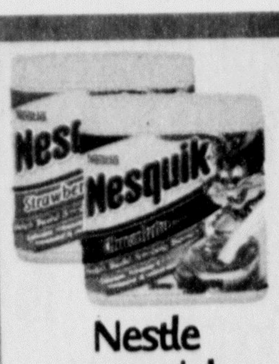
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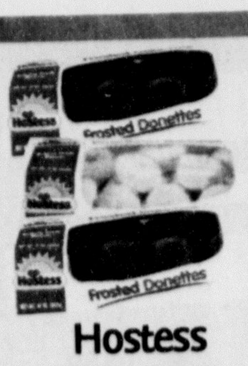
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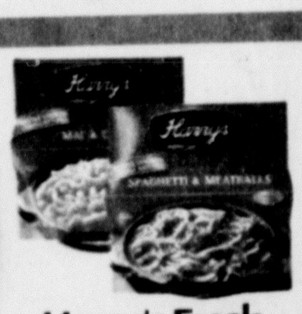
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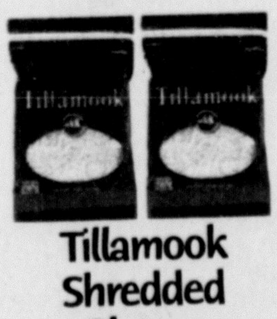
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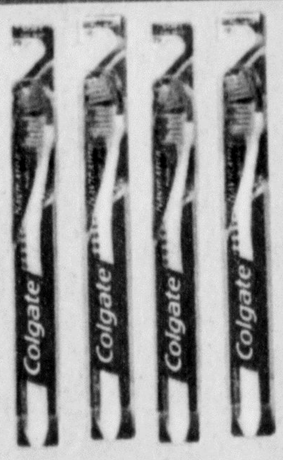
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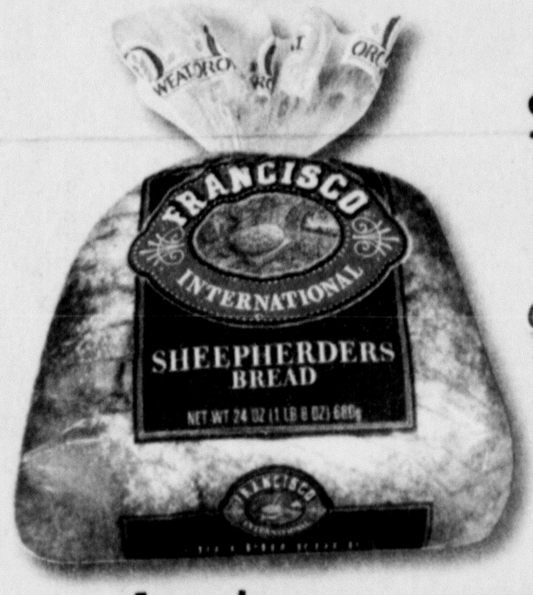


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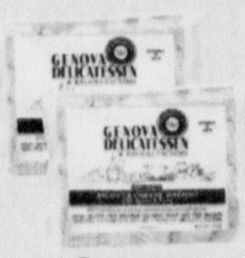


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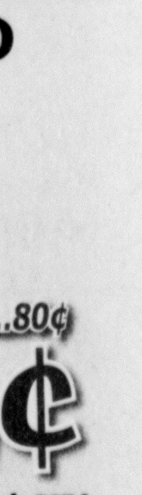
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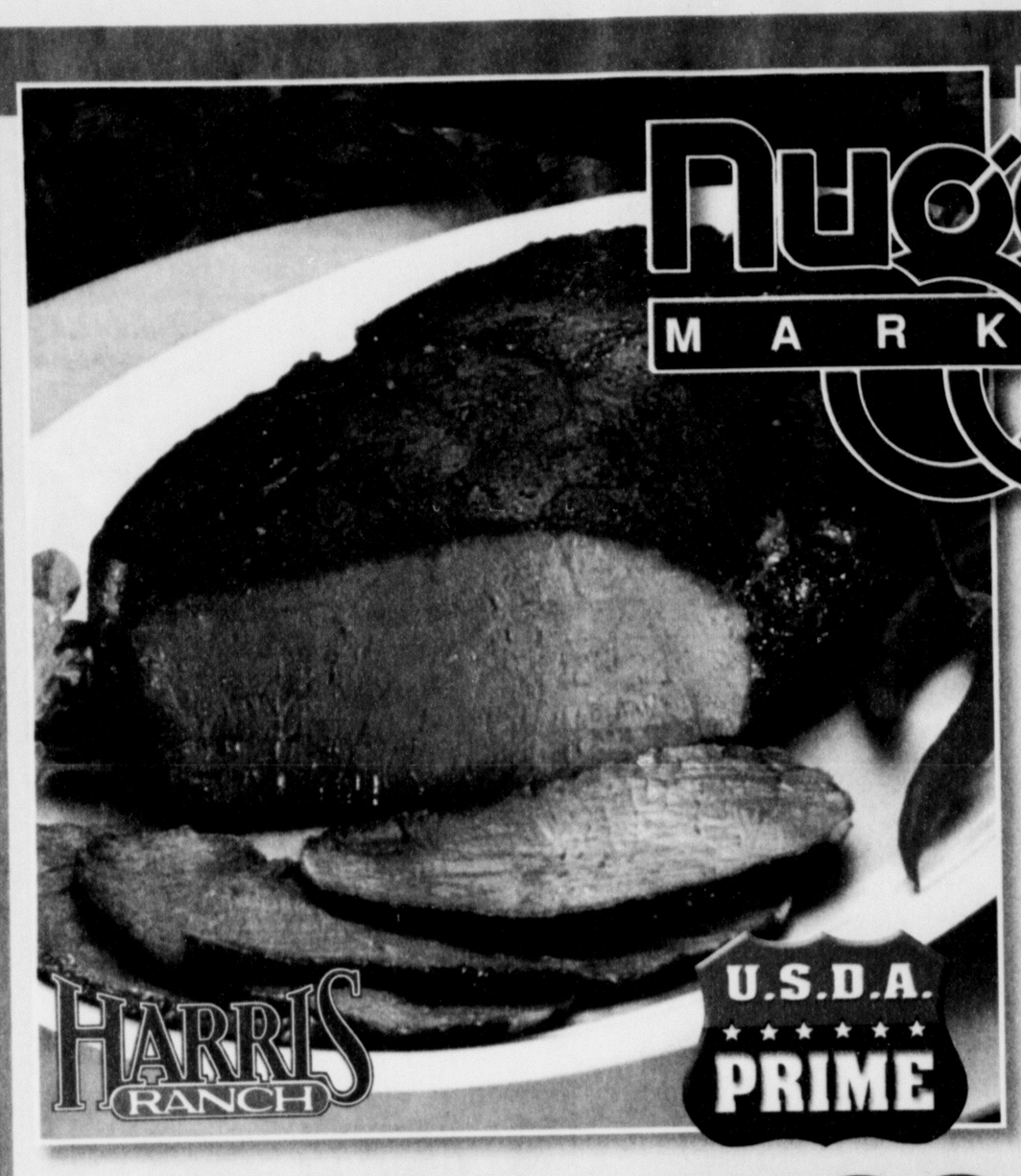
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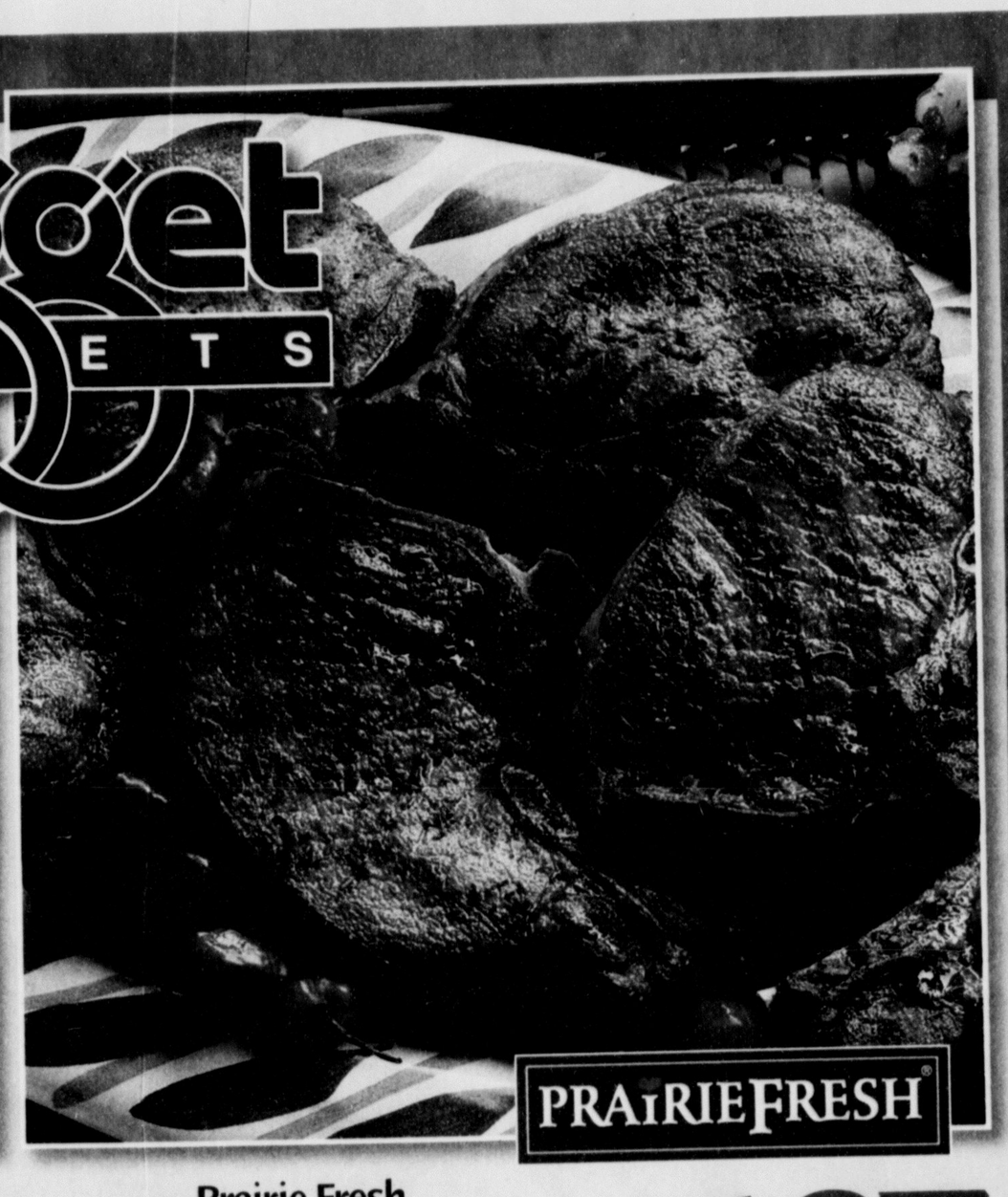
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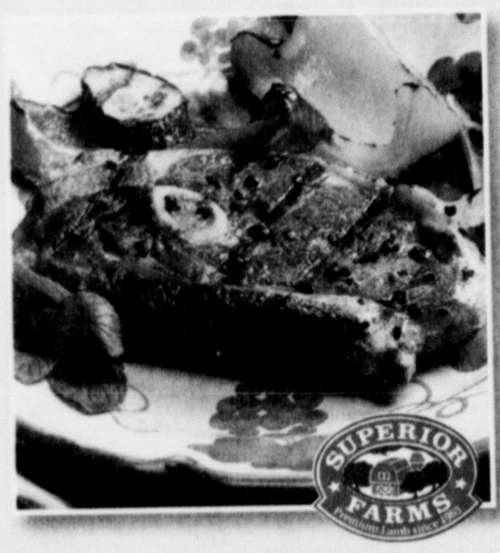






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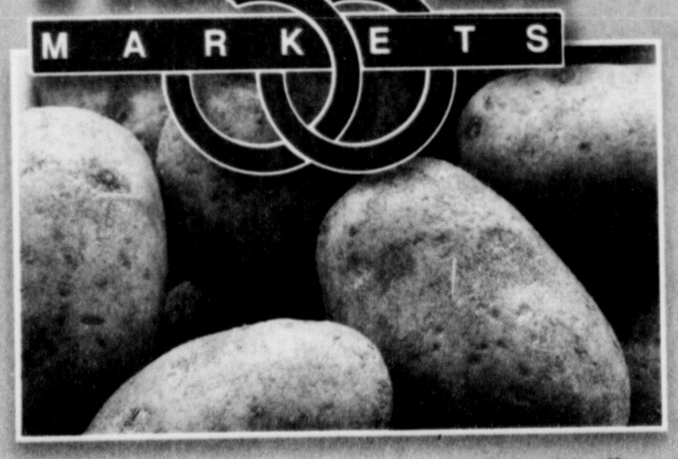
Harris Ranch USDA Choice
Sirloin Tip Roast
Save 2.00 lb.
2.99 lb.

Fresh Halibut Steaks
Save 4.00 lb.
7.99 lb.

Better Than BOGO
Fresh Mahi Mahi
Save 7.00 lb.
6.99 lb.

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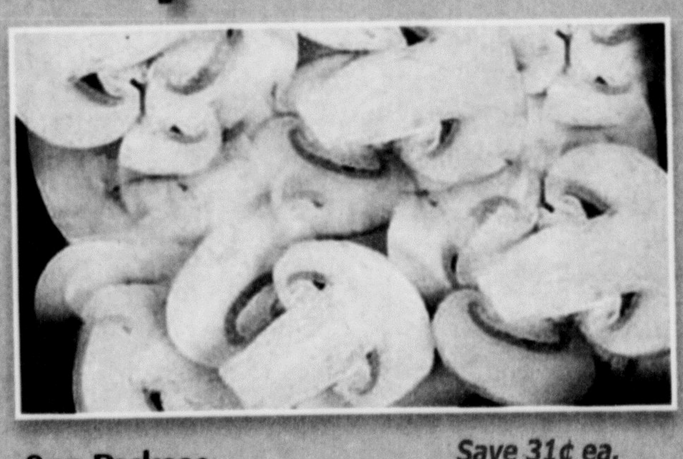
– Fresh Produce Specials –



Save 21¢ lb.
Large Fresh Russet Potatoes
38¢ lb.



Save 71¢ lb.
California Grown Broccoli Crowns
98¢ lb.



8 oz. Package
Fresh Sliced Mushrooms
Save 31¢ ea.
1.88 ea.



Save 51¢ ea.
English Cucumbers
1.18 ea.



Locally Grown
Organic Asparagus
Save 2.21 lb.
3.28 lb.



Fresh Express
Salad Mix
Ready to eat. Caesar, Caesar Light or Caesar Supreme
Save 2.38 on 2
2 for $4

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